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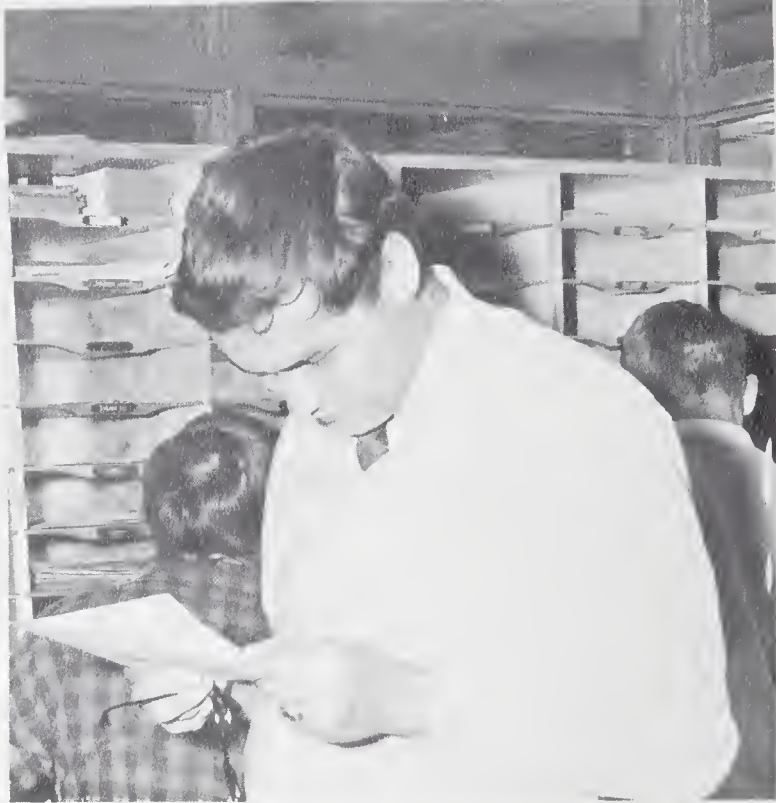


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... Slowly We Come,
And Quickly We Go





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*. . . And the years are like roses—fresh, crisp, bright, and beautiful—
And the days are like petals to be pulled one by one . . .*

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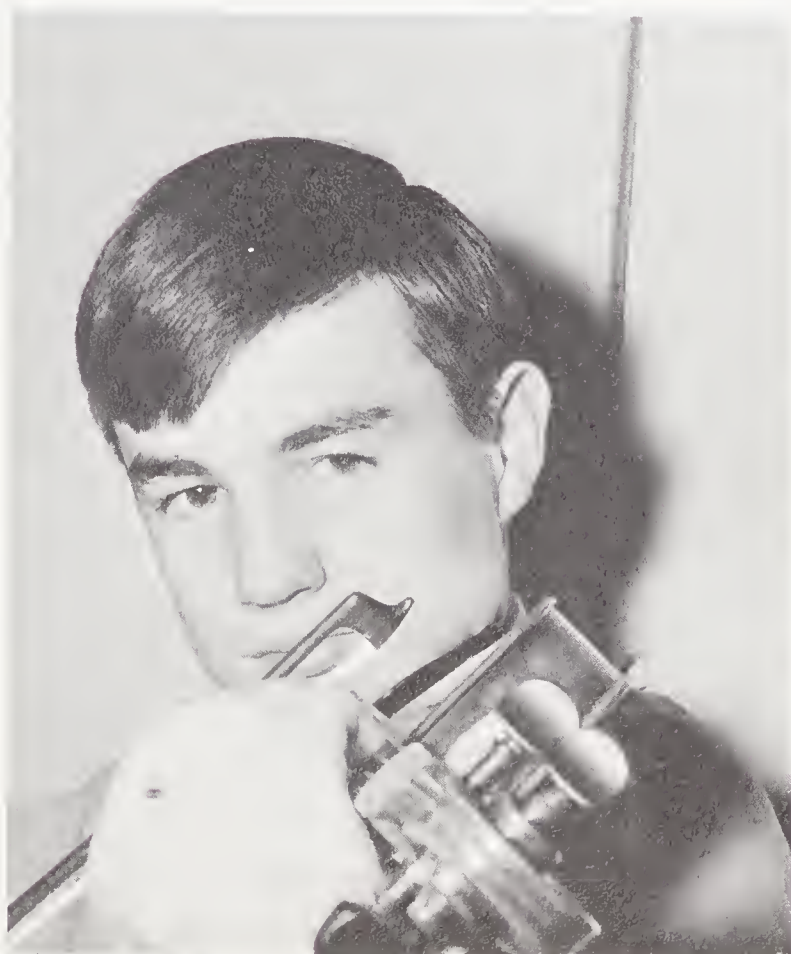
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Binding Us Together Is The Love Of School And Team,



As We Share A Common Joy And Suffer A Common Loss . . .





ADMINISTRATION

Administration



Mr. Kenneth F. England, Principal



Mr. England welcomes Harding students and alumni at homecoming.

Mrs. Greth, administrative secretary, handles much of the school's business.





Mr. Harvey willingly helps any student with a problem.



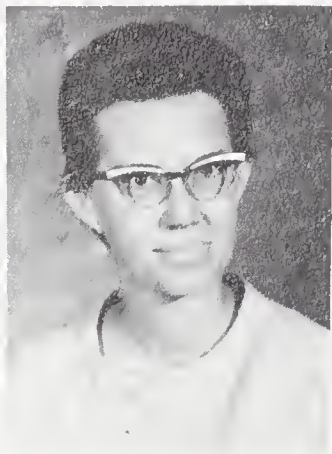
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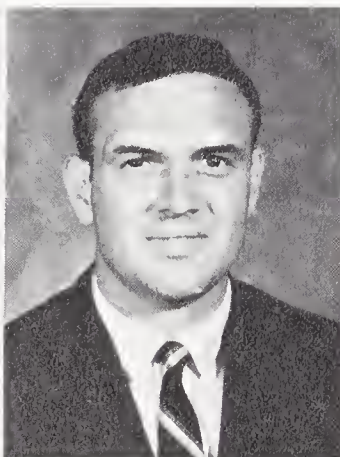
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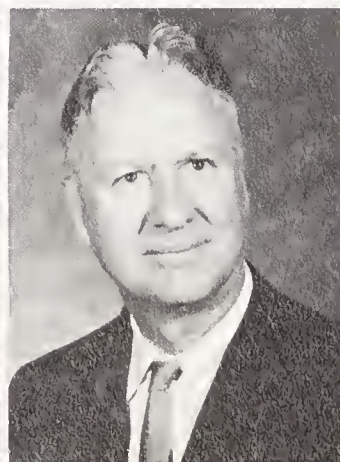
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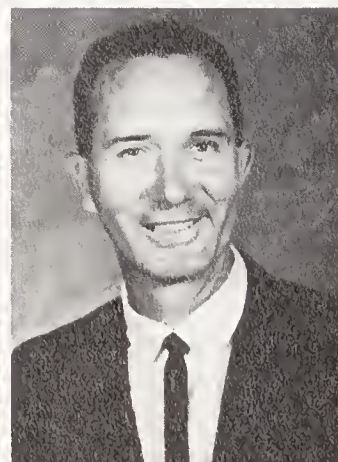
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D.E. Club Advisor



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Modern Math



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Driver Education



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Football End Coach
Head Baseball Coach



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Faculty



Mr. Harold K. Davis
Functions
Algebra and Trigonometry
Modern Math
Key Club Advisor
J.V. Football Line Coach
Assistant Wrestling Coach
Tennis Coach



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Guidance Counselor



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Acorn Advisor



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Librarian



Miss Edna B. Hartness
English 11



In Memoriam

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Physical Education
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Acorn Advisor

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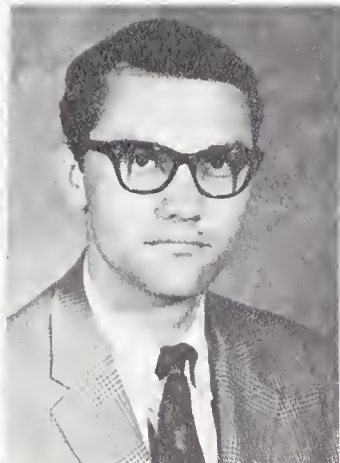
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Spanish Club Advisor

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J.V. Basketball Coach
J.V. Baseball Coach
Social Committee Advisor
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Y-Teens Advisor



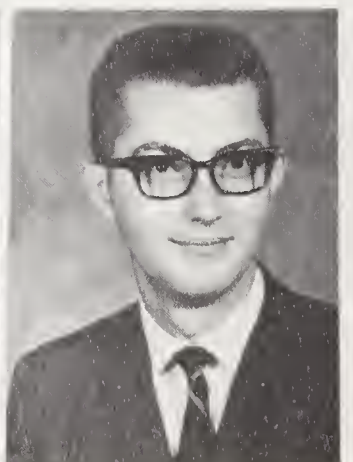
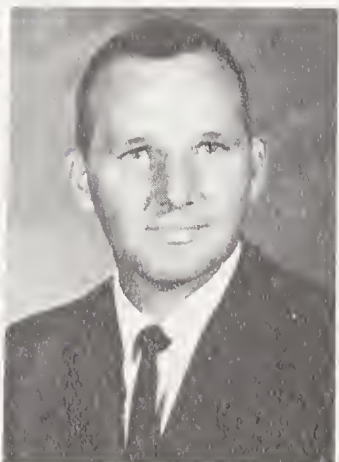
Miss Victoria J. Roveano
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Mr. Claude William Savage
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Head Wrestling Coach
Head Golf Coach
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American History
Occupational Economics
Junior Class Advisor

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Graphic Arts
Drafting



Faculty



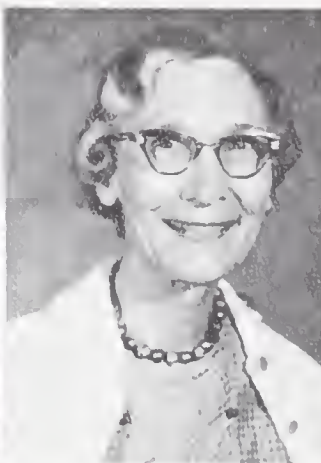
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Algebra II
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Advanced Choir



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Mrs. Pearl Eubanks
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Administrative Secretary



Mrs. Carole Kessler
Administrative Secretary



Mrs. Nat Moretz
Library Secretary



NOT PICTURED

Mrs. Alice B. Dunn
Algebra I
Student Council Advisor
Miss Mary Louise Butler
American History
Audio-Visual Aids
Co-ordinator
Mr. Joseph P. Chambers
Band
Mrs. Estel B. Coffey
Business Math
Typing I
Bookkeeping
Mrs. Sarah E. Slechta
Orchestra





FEATURES



ROGER MOSER
President



PEGGY CALDWELL
Vice-President



SUSAN GRUBBS



BRUCE HAGER



CINDY PRINGLE

1968 *Imperatores*

The Imperatores are ten outstanding seniors who are chosen by the last year's club on the basis of their character, scholarship, and leadership. The club sponsors the Talent Show to make money for Maroon and Gold Day, the high light of a year's hard work. The climax of the event is the tapping of new Imperatores. The club's advisor is Mr. Douglas Crotts.



CHERYL ALLEN
Treasurer



CHUCK COOK



CHARLENE SHIPMAN
Secretary



DEBBIE CHAPPELL



BOYCE COLE



ROW 1: Joy Bumgardner, Jan Atnip, Sandra Grant—Chief Marshal, Marilyn Adkins—Chief Marshal, Wendy Ford, Joe Savage. ROW 2: Wayne Starnes, Julie Brown, Ramona Ayala, Susan Starr, Toby Ander-

son, Steve Williams. ROW 3: Robbie Robinson, Holli Milner, Lind Lindsay, Karen Hager, Johnny Ford. ROW 4: James Rash, Steve Kisner, Jim Setter, Gene Biddix, Jimmy Champion, John Windell.

Junior Marshals



Delegates to Girls State - Charlene Shipman (Secretary of State) and Peggy Caldwell.



Delegates to Boys State- Chuck Cook, Bruce Hager, and Roger Moser.

Students Receive

Harvard Book Award - Eddie Cobb



D.A.R. Award- Charlene Shipman





National Achievement Semi-finalist - - Jackie Harrison



Delegate to Wildacres- Alan Trogdon

Honors And Awards

National Merit Semi-finalist - - Mike Lovelace and Susan Grubbs



Harding Participates In The



Exchange Student to Maracay, Venezuela—Susan Grubbs

Exchange Student from Copenhagen, Denmark—Ann-Marie Enggard



Charlotte Exchange Student Program



FOREIGN EXCHANGE STUDENT COMMITTEE

SEATED: Susan Grubbs—Co-head, Mrs. Pedersen—Advisor, Mrs. Worsley—Advisor, Judy Carlton—Co-head. STANDING: Risa Robinson, Sandra Grant, Holli Milner, Mike Lovelace, Francie Demby, Brenda Laney, Peggy Caldwell.

Ann-Marie with her sisters, Risa and Jeannine Robinson



Susan with her sisters, Cecilia and Laura Pantoja





Miss Harding 1967-1968

Diane Hucks

Homecoming Queen And Court



Miss Nancy McDaniel, Candidate for Queen.
Miss Debbie Gurganus, Senior Attendant.



Miss Sylvia Davis, Homecoming Queen.



Miss Charlene Shipman, Candidate for Queen.
Miss Sandra Kassin, Senior Attendant.

Miss Joy Bumgardner, Junior Attendant.

Miss Nancy Goins, Junior Attendant.

Miss Sandra Robertson, Sophomore Attendant.

Miss June Hickok, Sophomore Attendant.



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*Miss Sylvia Davis
Senior Beauty*



*Miss Sandra Kassin
Senior Beauty*



Class Beauties



*Miss Julia Brown
Junior Beauty*



*Miss Vonnie Yandle
Sophomore Beauty*

1968 Cuties



Miss January—Diane Helms, Miss February—Mary Page, Miss March—Sandra Rosser.



*Miss 1968
Joy Bumgardner*



Miss April—Marcia Crosby, Miss May—Nancy McDaniel, Miss June—Julie Brown.



Miss October—Mary Jane Johnson, Miss November—Ginni Maness, Miss December—Shellie Davis.

And Capers



Key Club Skit



Junior Skit



Sophomore Skit

Faculty Skit (Really!)



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MOST SCHOOL SPIRITED—Eleanor Bell and Philip Robinson

friendly . . .



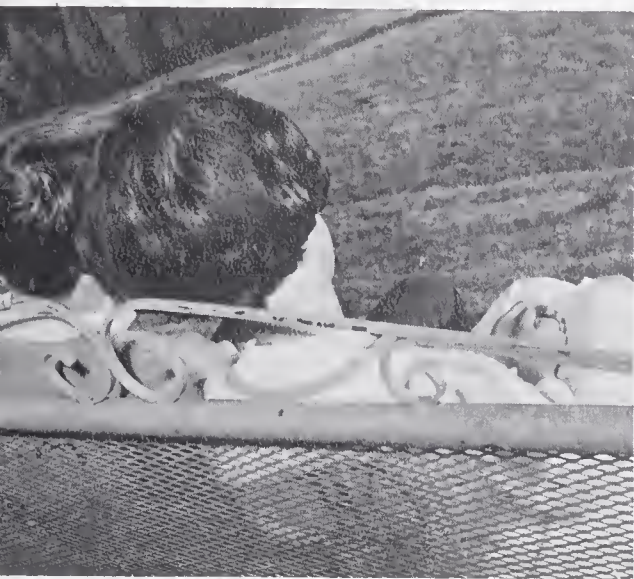
Friendlier . . .



MOST INTELLECTUAL—Mike Lovelace and Susan Grubbs



SUPERLATIVES



FRIENDLIEST!!
Mary Page and Kenny Gordon



MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED—Brenda Ward and Chuck Cook

MOST ATHLETIC—Risa Robinson and Jackie Greene



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WITTIEST—Rick Douglas and Marsha Hannah

BEST ALL-ROUND—Bruce Hager, and Charlene Shipman



MOST TALENTED—Craig Stratton and Peggy Caldwell

SUPERLATIVES



MOST POPULAR—Boyce Cole and Debbie Chappell

MOST DEPENDABLE—Cheryl Allen and Roger Moser







ACTIVITIES

The ACORN Staff



ADVISORS—Miss Peggy Johnson and Miss Elizabeth Elliott



EDITORS-IN-CHIEF—Susan Grubbs and Peggy Caldwell

ACORN Editorial Staff—Debbie Davis and Sandra Grant, Junior Editors; Risa Robinson, Club Editor; Brenda Ward, Copy and Faculty Editor; Valerie Dixon, Sophomore Class

Editor; Wayne Starnes, Junior Class Editor; Judy Carlton, Senior Class Editor; Jackie Harrison, Features Editor; Roger Moser, Sports Editor.





ACORN Advertising Staff: ROW 1: Susan Grubbs, Francie Demby—Advertising Manager, Mike Lovelace, Peggy Caldwell. ROW 2: Wayne Starnes, Brenda Ward, Deborah McDowell, Judy Carlton, David Ford. ROW 3: Steve Williams, Kathy Kuber, Jackie Harrison, Kristie Daffinee, Cheryl Allen. ROW 4: Ronnie Ware, Julie Brown, Jane Cox, Marilyn

Adkins, Roger Moser. ROW 5: James Rash, Susan Starr, Diane Helms, David Seagraves, Cindy Pringle. ROW 6: Robbie Robinson, Ramona Ayala, Sandra Grant, Tommy Clark. ROW 7: Jan Atnip, Risa Robinson, Nancy McDaniel, Zan Taylor, Holli Milner, Debbie Davis, Veronica Prather.



ACORN Circulation Staff: ROW 1: Susan Grubbs, Francie Demby, David Ford—Circulation Manager, Mike Lovelace, Peggy Caldwell. ROW 2: Steve Williams, Nancy McDaniel, Brenda Ward, Deborah McDowell, Glenna Poston, Risa Robinson. ROW 3: Veronica Prather, Ramona Ayala, Jan

Atnip, Jackie Harrison, Cindy Pringle, Robbie Robinson. ROW 4: Leigh Huggins, Susan Starr, David Seagraves, Marilyn Adkins. ROW 5: Zan Taylor, Sandra Grant, Holli Milner.

ACORN Business Managers—David Ford, Circulation Manager; Francie Demby, Advertising Manager; Mike Lovelace, Business Manager; Steve Williams, Assistant Circulation Manager; Marsha

Hannah, Assistant Publicity Manager; Nancy McDaniel, Publicity Manager.



The Student Council



PRESIDENT Bruce Hager



VICE-PRESIDENT—Charlene Shipman

Officers

TREASURER—Boyce Cole



SECRETARY—Christy Nicholson



Executive Council



ROW 1: Steve Kisner, Bruce Hager, Charlene Shipman, Christy Nicholson, Boyce Cole, Roger Moser, Ricky Cook. ROW 2: Eleanor Bell, Pat Postell, Diane Sullivan, Doug Agnew, John Windell, Risa Robinson, Kristie Daf-

finee, Judy Carlton. ROW 3: Eddie Cobb, Mike Lovelace, Doug De-Shields, Rick Huggins.

Our hard-working Student Council officers during one of their busy planning sessions . . .



Student Council Representatives



First Semester

ROW 1: Susan Grubbs, Barbara Norman, Debbie Greenc, Joyce Vann, June Hickok, Joy Bumgardner, Kathy Scarnecchia, Jane Cox, Lynn Short, Peggy Caldwell. ROW 2: Jimmy Clinkscales, Johnny Stilwell, Ronnie Twitty, Vickie Sparrow, Christine Reed, Becky Smith, Vonnie Yandle,

Susan Starr, Cindy Pringle, Suzanne Caughman, Shirley Carlisle, Camellia Renwick. ROW 3: Jerry Conder, Freddy Huntley, Ken Reid, Phil Simmons, Barry Morrow, Craig Randall, Myron Alderman, Chip Jackson, Ricky Cook.

ROW 1: Carolyn Phillips, Lynn Short, Jane Cox, Joyce Vann, June Hickok, Becky Smith, Susan Starr, Christine Reed, Marie Taland, Brenda Lemmond, Peggy Caldwell. ROW 2: Susan Grubbs, Ricky Cook, David Scagraves, Barry Morrow, Mike Kelly, Jimmy Clinkscales, Katherine

Marrow, Cindy Pringle, Barbara Norman, Debbie Greene. ROW 3: Ken Reid, Craig Wallace, Phil Simmons, Stan Patterson, Myron Alderman, Ronnie Twitty, Johnny Stilwell, Vickie Sparrow, Jeanie Illingworth, Suzanne Caughman, Camellia Renwick.

Second Semester



The Hi-Lites Staff



ROW 1: Jackie Harrison, News Editor; Jeanie Illingworth, Senior Editor; Marilyn Adkins, Assistant Editor; Alan Trogdon, Editor-in-chief; Shirley Carlisle, Feature Editor; Pearlene Hill; Elaine Robertson, Club Editor.

ROW 2: Ted DeHart, Photographer; Doug DeShields; Jimmy Clinkscales, Social Editor; Kenny Hinson; Allison Davis, Artist.

MISS POWELL, Advisor

ALAN TROGDON, Editor-in-chief



National Honor Society



ROW 1: Suzanne Caughman—Secretary, Shirley Carlisle—Treasurer, Brenda Ward—President, Susan Grubbs—Vice-President, Mrs. Summer-ville—Advisor. ROW 2: Glenna Poston, Judy Carlton, Cheryl Allen, Gail

Yandle, Charlene Shipman, Eddie Cobb, Alan Trogdon, Dale Blackwell, Diane Calebro, Kathy Ward, Sally Holmes, Peggy Caldwell. NOT PIC-TURED—Chuck Cook.

Future Homemakers of America



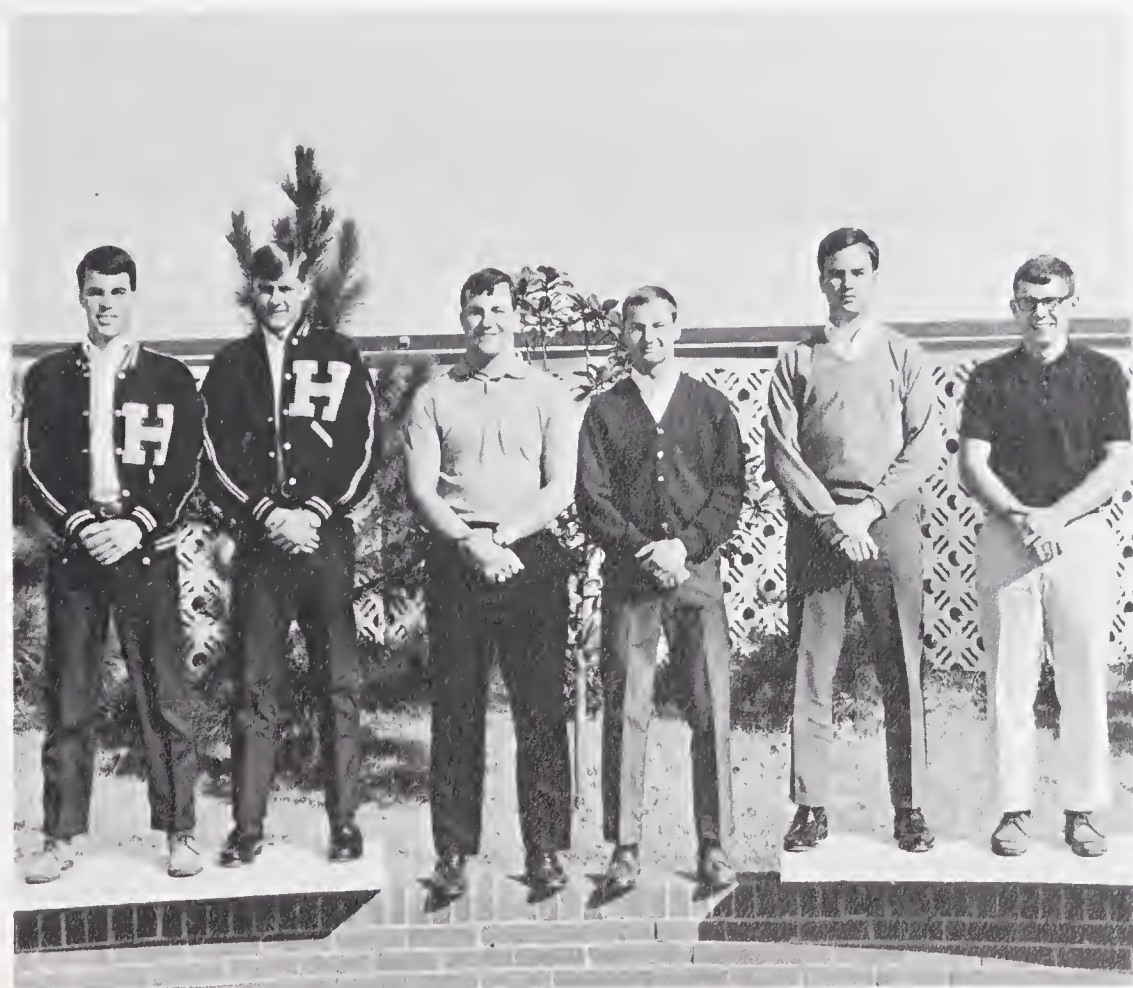
SEATED: Cindy Pringle—President, Cheryl Allen—Vice-President, Gay Lundy—Treasurer. STANDING: Brenda Ward, Deborah McDowell, Doris

McDonald—Secretary, Miss Carr—Advisor, Cindy Wilson, Sally Holmes, Gloria Lee.



ROW 1: Boyce Cole, Steve Buff, Bruce Hager, Steve Kisner, Alan Trogdon, Roger Moser, Mr. Davis—advisor. ROW 2: Ricky Cook, Wayne Starnes, Wayne Crenshaw, Robbic Robinson, Doug Agnew, Doug De-

Shields, Jimmy Clinkscales. ROW 3: David Martin, Tommy House, Carl Ingram.



Roger Moser—Treasurer, Steve Buff—Secretary, Boyce Cole—President, Bruce Hager—Vice-President, Steve Kisner—Sergeant-at-Arms, Alan Trogdon—Chaplain.



The Key Club

French Club



SEATED: Peggy Caldwell-President, Sandra Grant-Vice-President, Jan Atnip-Secretary, Susan Starr-Treasurer. ROW 1: Mickey Taylor, Myra Poston, Kristie Daffinee, Barbara Looper, Joy Bumgardner, Lynn Short, Denise Dellinger. ROW 2: Brenda Laney, Debbie Knight, Mike Juergen-

son, Bill Spurrier, Ann-Marie Enggard, Sheila Hopper, Eleanor Turner, Mary McGrath, Christy Nicholson. ROW 3: Joel McCreary, Holli Milner, Freddy Adcock, Tim Clontz, Reid Ward, Doug Brotherton, Roger Moser, Susan Grubbs. NOT PICTURED-Miss Yelvington, Advisor.

Spanish Club



SEATED: Jackie Harrison-President, Robbie Robinson-Vice-President, John Windell-Secretary, Francie Demby-Treasurer, Mrs. Pedersen-Advisor. ROW 1: Brenda Gilliland, Erin Walch, Barbara Norman, Brenda Ward, Sandra Washam, Pam Franklin, Sally Holmes, Jimmy Lemmond. ROW 2: Jimmy Setter, David Seagraves, Susan Grubbs, Ann-Marie Eng-

gard, Jeannine Robinson, Nancy Goins, Julie Brown, Linda Armstrong, Bruce Hager, Phil Simmons. ROW 3: James Rash, Johnny Ford, Myron Alderman, Billy Cochran, Jody Morris, Mike Farmer, Mike Lovelace, Gary Holt, Steve Buff, Jimmy Champion.

The Chaplains' Council



Susan Grubbs, President; Robbie Robinson, Vice-President; Francie Demby, Secretary; Chuck Cook, Treasurer.



ROW 1: Susan Grubbs, Robbie Robinson, Francie Demby, Chuck Cook.
ROW 2: Glenna Poston, Joy Bumgardner, Eleanor Bell, Ann-Marie Enggard, Gwen Miller, Linda Watson, Libby McCorkle, Debra Smith, Brenda Laney, Kristie Daffinee, Ann Miller, Cheryl Allen, Terry Allen. ROW 3: Miss Mackorell—Advisor, Jackie Harrison, Wanda Broome, Suzanne Putnam, Debbie Knight, Martha Blackston, Linda Lawing, Mike Griffin, Gail

Edwards, Linda Arbogast, Darlene Major, Rosemary Pistone. ROW 4: Cheri Solomon, Martha Cunningham, Janet Galloway, Johnny Ford, Rhonda Keever, William Brittle, Steve McCorkle, Mike Homick, Eddie Deese, Woody Mundy, Freedith Smith, Mary Page, Gloria Lee, Alan Trogdon, David Ford.



Anna Porins—President, Diane Helms—Vice-President, Freedith Smith—Secretary, Christy Nicholson—Treasurer.

Red Cross

ROW 1: Jean Redding, Susan Early, Glenna Poston, Sandra Link, Robbie Blalock, Lynn Ratcliffe, Diane Helms, Christy Nicholson, Freedith Smith, Anna Porins. ROW 2: Carol Smith, Deborah Puckett, Bonnie Brunk, Judy Covi, Nancy Goins, Marie Ellis, Cheryl Mulkey, Sheila Hopper, Brenda Reynolds, Pam Barnes, Linda Taylor. ROW 3: Wanda Bryant, Myra Poston, Debbie Caughman, Marilyn Adkins, Linda Armstrong, Patsy Jones,

Shellic Davis, Ronnic Sneed, Lynn Johnson, Eleanor Turner, Kay Justice, Adelaide Verble, Ann Miller, Pam Franklin. ROW 4: Mike Robinson, Donnie Cook, Jackie Harrison, Ann-Marie Enggard, Steve Williams, David Seagraves, Tony Lcague, Warren Pearson, Carl Ingram, Eddie Cobb, Alan Trogon, Barbara Puckett, Valerie Dixon, Ben Shivar.





ROW 1: Kenny Smith, Lynda Turner, Ronnie Lane, Juanita Spence, Roberta Steele, Eddie Burgin. ROW 2: Ingrid Byrd, Karen McGuire, Leigh Carroll, Barbara Sweatman, Faith Craig, Dianne Galloway, Linda Autry. ROW 3: Mary Ellen Keathley, Carol Suggs, Marsha Rollins, Dianne

Dellinger, Teresa Thompson, Doris McCall, Vonnie Warr, Dale Jordan, Chuck Averitte. ROW 4: David Henderson, Mac Ammons, Billy Sherron, James Teal, Johnny Towe, Gary Miller, Larry Thompson, Steve Rose, Wayne Sawyer.

Distributive Education Club

Juanita Spence, Parliamentarian; Lynda Turner, Vice-President; Roberta Steele, Secretary; Ronnie Lane, Associate President; Kenny Smith, President; Eddie Burgin, Treasurer.





ROW 1: Eleanor Bell—President, Karen Manus—Vice-President, Sandra Grant—Secretary, Sandra Wigglesworth—Treasurer, Cheryl Allen—Chaplain. ROW 2: Kathryn Marrow, Debbie Gurganus, Charlene Shipman, Joy Bumgardner, La Donna Prophet, Sandra Cabaniss, Jane Cox, Leigh Huggins, Linda Armstrong. ROW 3: Sherry Allison, Pat Postell, Julie Brown,

Kathy Kuber, Holli Milner, Debbie Davis, Yvonne Lemaster, Nellie Townsend, Linda Ratcliffe, Jeannean Short. ROW 4: Sandra Rosser, Nancy McCray, Marsha Hannah, Shellie Davis, Risa Robinson, Nancy McDaniel, Debbie Chappell, Lynn Ratcliff, Mary Page.

Girls' Athletic Association

Y-Teens

ROW 1: Risa Robinson—President, Shellie Davis—Vice-President, Eleanor Bell—Secretary, Nancy McCray—Treasurer, Joy Bumgardner—Chaplain. ROW 2: Eleanor Turner, Lana Bowles, Kay Brownlee, Julie Brown, Jane Cox, Charlene Shipman, Sandra Cabaniss, Pam Franklin, Nellie Townsend. ROW 3: Cheryl Daffinee, Pam McIntosh, Sandra Rosser, Cindy

Pringle, Ann-Marie Enggard, Pat Terrill, Jeannean Short, Sherry Allison. ROW 4: Sheila Hopper, Jeannine Robinson, Marsha Hannah, Debbie Gurganus, Mary Page, Lynn Ratcliff, Lynn Short, Diane Dellinger, Pam Bass.





Philip Robinson, Sergeant-at-Arms; Mike Cook, President; Rick Huggins, Vice-President; Boyce Cole, Secretary; Rick Douglas, Treasurer.

Monogram Club

ROW 1: Joy Bumgardner, Eleanor Bell, Charlene Shipman, Mary Page, Christy Nicholson, Sylvia Davis. ROW 2: Cheryl Allen, Marsha Hannah, Kathy Smith, Julie Brown, Shellie Davis, Nancy McCray, Cindy Pringle, Mary Keating, Sandy Atkins. ROW 3: Kay Brownlee, Sherry Goins, Nancy McDaniel, Fredith Smith, Dae Toll. ROW 4: Mr. Savage—Advisor, Jimmy Champion, James Rash, Tommy House, Chip Sloan, John Windell, Jackie Greene, Johnny Stilwell, Joe Savage, Craig Stratton. ROW 5: Jimmy Clinkscales, Doug Miller, Steve Buff, Chuck Averitte, Danny Hostetler, Larry Killian, Mike Griffin, Reggie Kerns, Steve

Phillips, Chip Hough. ROW 6: Bruce Hager, Tommy Clark, Ronnie Conder, Mike Cook, Rick Huggins, Ronnie Twitty, Doug DeShields, Steve Kisner, Robbic Robinson. ROW 7: Boyce Cole, Bobby Utley, Jon Whitaker, Steve Reep, Dillon Broome, Billy Polk, Doug Agnew, Roger Moser, Mike Farmer. ROW 8: Gary Holt, Ed Chandler, Vince Walker, Jerry Deal, David Martin, Philip Robinson, Rick Douglas. ROW 9: Jimmy Barbary, Mike Lemmond, Freddy Huntley, Jerry Conder, Kenny Gordon, Myron Alderman, Philip Harper.





ROW 1 (from top): Ann Miller, Rhonda Keever, Kay Justice, Sandra Link. ROW 2: Doris McDonald, Zan Taylor, Yvonne Lemaster, Debbie Sloan, Pat Terrill, Sherry Safrit. ROW 3: Deborah McDowell, Marie Talant, Debbie Lambert, Jean Pender, Lana Bowles, Debbie Chappell. ROW 4: Susan Mauldwin, Martha Cunningham, Naney Goins, Lynn Brookshire, Sylvia Davis. ROW 5: Pam McIntosh, June Kennedy, Cissy Worley, Bonnie Brunk, Brenda McCannon. ROW 6: Brenda Ward, Brenda Tueker, Beverly Hendrix, Mary McGrath, Linda Taylor, Rhonda Yancey. ROW 7: Diane Calebro, Nellie Townsend, Kathy Smith, Lynne Ratcliffe, Charlene Shipman, Delane Ratcliffe. ROW 8: Jeannean Short, Sherry Allison, Lynn Watts, Sandra Wigglesworth, Debbie Knight.

Rammettes

Jeannean Short, President; Sherry Allison, Vice-President; Lynn Watts, Seeretary; Sandra Wigglesworth, Treasurer; Debbie Knight, Chaplain.



ROW 1 (from top): Ernie Creech, James Rash, Ricky Havner, Buddy Felker. ROW 2: Ronnie Ware, Mike Kelly, Terry Allen, Toby Anderson. ROW 3: Joe Savage, Donnie Brown, Terry Welch, Carl Ingram. ROW 4: David Seagraves, Tommy Clark, Tony League, David Estridge. ROW 5: Mr. Pyatt—Advisor, Sandy Porter, Ronnie Hucks, Jim Barbary. ROW 6: Rick Douglas, Phil Harper, Jerry Conder.



Ramrods

Rick Douglas, President; Jerry Conder, Vice-President; Jimmy Clinkscales, Secretary-Treasurer; Phil Harper, Sergeant-at-Arms; Vince Walker, Sergeant-at-Arms.



Sylvia Davis, Publicity Manager;
Freedith Smith, Secretary; Jesse
Robinson, Librarian; Tommy Clark,
Treasurer; Linda Ratcliffe, Manager.
NOT PICTURED: Pat Wood, Presi-
dent.



Advanced Choir

ROW 1: Mr. White—Director, Sandra Link, Robbie Blalock, Donna Hill,
Judy Covil, Jesse Robinson, Anna Porins, Pam Belk, Barbara Looper.
ROW 2: Patsy Turner, Jamie Mathis, Linda Ratcliffe, Freedith Smith,
David Seagraves, Ronnie Forren, Terry McCraw, Arnetta Robinson,

Sylvia Davis. ROW 3: Jan Atnip, Shirley Grogan, Mike Randall, Tommy
Clark, Michael Hoover, Steve Edwards, Veronica Prather, Melody Whit-
field.





ROW 1: Ora Tanzy, Ann Carroll, Helen Griffin, Jackie Hufstettler, Freida Carland, Carol Smith, Marie Ellis, Suzette Bowers, Charlotte Stewart.
ROW 2: Mr. White—Director, Gwynn Moore, Jennifer Shelton, Sue Mauldwin, Gail Hice, Curtis Davidson, Ben Shivar, Debbie Boulware,

Debbie Earnhardt. ROW 3: Sandra Lofton, Doris McDonald, Debbie Lambert, Donna Perry, Janet Galloway, Diane Dellinger, Bobby Coggins, Don Martin, Paula Werner, Eleanor Turner, Vonnie Yandle. ROW 4: Marty Mulligan, David Dewberry, Warren Pearson, Denise Harris—Pianist.

Mixed Chorus



Carol Smith, President; Vonnie Yandle, Publicity Manager; Marie Ellis, Librarian; Bobby Coggins, Treasurer; Paula Werner, Secretary.

Drama Club



SEATED: Miss Johnson—Advisor, Craig Stratton—Vice-President, Veronica Prather—President, Leigh Caskey—Secretary, Ann Miller—Chaplain.
ROW 1: Denise Dellinger, Sheran Wade, Brenda Laney, Sarah Bidgood, Linda Ratcliff, Lynn Johnson, Debbie Davis, Dianne Rhodes, Rosemary

Pistone. ROW 2: Ora Tanzy, Terry Johnson, Kathy Kuber, Hazel McBride, Gerry Brogden, Melody Whitfield, Zan Taylor, Robbie Blalock. ROW 3: Jesse Robinson, Walter Clyburn, Donnie Preslar, Mike Bowman, Johnny Cunningham, Jim Wilson, Jimmy Lemmond.

Orchestra



ROW 1: Sandy Porter, Jody Morris, Pam Barnes, Kathy Ward, Mike Hommick. ROW 2: Mrs. Slechta—Director, Libby McCorkle, Bonnie Hagler,

Nancy Cox—Pianist, James Morris, Michael Hoover, Jackie Harrison, Elaine Burnett, Glendora Ealey, Ed Long.

Harding High Marching Band



BAND MEMBERS (in alphabetical order): Fred Adcock, Jacob Anderson, Martha Blackston, David Blount, Richard Brittle, William Brittle, Sammy Cadieau, Billy Cochran, Chuck Cook, Larry Cook, Nancy Cox, Buddy Felker, Randy Goforth, Sandra Grant, Billy Grass, Mike Hoover, Tommy House, Gene Huntley, Pat Hurley, Kathy James, Larry Johnson, Mike Juergenson, Robbie Juergenson, Danny Lewis, Joel McCreary,

Randy Martin, Holli Milner, James Morris, Sam Pistone, Pat Raby, Delane Ratcliffe, David Reuschling, Gaylord Richardson, Mike Robinson, Butch Ross, Henry Rucker, Gary Schneider, Meredith Sparrow, Marie Taland, Patricia Thompson, Carl Turner, Ronnie Ware, Lynn Watts, David Williams, Susan Wray.



Diane Sullivan—Head Majorette, Nancy McDaniel—Head Flag Carrier, Randy Goforth—Drum Major, Marsha Hannah—Head Lettergirl, Gail Yandle—Head of Rhythmettes.

Lettergirls



Cheryl Allen, Marsha Hannah—head, Kathy Smith, Julie Brown, Shellie Davis, Nancy McCray, Cindy Pringle, Mary Keating, Sandy Atkins.

Flag Carriers



Kay Brownlee, Sherry Goins, Nancy McDaniel—head, Freedith Smith, Dae Toll.

Rhythmettes



Debbie Knight—co-head, Gail Yandle—head, Judy Carlton—co-head. ROW 1: Cindy Wilson, Rosetta Fleming, Pam Franklin, Joyce Vann, Linda Bailes, Gwynn Moore, Lynn Ratcliffe, Kathy James. ROW 2: Sandra Wig-

glesworth, Debbie Greene, Linda Lindsay, Jean Redding, Sally Holmes, Lorraine Walker, Shelia Abernathy, Diane Helms.

In its first year at Harding, the unique drill team added much to the half-time shows at the football games.



Majorettes



Kathy Hoke, Karen McMurray, Celia Renwick, Nancy Deese—co-head, Diane Sullivan—head, Elaine Robertson, Dale Blackwell, Sandra Cabaniss.

J. V. Cheerleaders



June Hickok, Jeannine Robinson—head, Lynn Short, Debbie Freeman, Becky Smith, Vonnie Yandle, Barri Little.

Varsity Cheerleaders



Sylvia Davis, Christie Nicholson, Charlene Shipman—co-head, Debbie Chappell—head, Mary Page, Eleanor Bell, Joy Bumgardner.







ATHLETICS

Athletics—The Spirit

Athletics sets the pace at Harding. The won-lost record of the Rams visibly affects the atmosphere of the school. When we see Jackie Greene gracefully rifle a touchdown pass or James Houston slip and slither through three defenders and drop in a lay-up, we are proud. When we see Jimmy Strickland reverse and pin his man in ten seconds flat, when we see a double-play ball move like lightning from Douglas to Utley to Cole, we are proud, and we leap to our feet to cheer. When we win a close game on Friday night, there are proud faces on Monday morning; the outcome of the game determines the pace of the school.

In a sense, athletics is Harding's biggest form of student expression. When Bill Davis crouches on the starting blocks, there are no teachers, principals, or coaches on the blocks with him. When Tom House puts his toe on the rubber and studies the batter, there are no textbooks to tell him how to pitch. Our

athletes have perhaps been guided indirectly by teachers and textbooks, but at game time, our boys are on their own.

Athletics might also be called the showcase of Harding. Our school is judged by the efforts of our athletes. As Joe Savage passes a green-shirted runner on the cross-country course, it is a victory of Harding's discipline and endurance over that of Myers Park. As the referee's hand drops and Mike Yancey and his opponent cautiously circle the mat, a battle is set—not only a battle between Yancey and the boy in red tights, but also a battle between Harding and South Mecklenburg.

No matter what Harding's record may be, the love of a team representing the ideals of **our** school binds us together. Through loss and through victory, the Rams have kept their feet on the ground and have never given up.

Coach Bill Cordell, Athletic Director



Candy England, Mascot



And Pacesetter Of Harding



1967 Ram Football Team

Team Mascot

MIKE ENGLAND
(pictured with team)

CAPTAINS—Mike Cook, Boyce Cole, Philip Robinson



COACHES—Mr. Crawford, Mr. Savage—head coach, Mr. Cordell.



Football Awards

Ram of the Year—Bruce Hager, Sportsmanship—Mike Cook, Best Back—Jackie Greene, Best Defensive Player—Greg Richardson, Best Lineman—Mike Yancey, Best Receiver—Ken Reid.

ROW 1: Agnew, Barwick, Yancey, Hostetler, Gordon, Mike England—mascot, Cook, Stilwell, Robinson, Deal, Whitaker. ROW 2: Holt, Martin, D. Reid, Maultsby, Farmer, Randall, Audrey, K. Reid, Lemmond, E. Robinson. ROW 3: Clark—manager, Stratton, Massey, Stewart, Moser,

DeShields, Hager, Huggins, Chandler, D. Robinson, Harper—Manager
ROW 4: Reep, Crosby, Cole, Kisner, Greene, Buff, Richardson, Davis, Evans.



Senior Rams



Doug Agnew,
Guard



Ed Chandler,
Flankerback



Boyce Cole,
Fullback



Mike Cook,
Center



Bill Davis,
Tailback



Jerry Deal,
Guard



Doug DeShields,
Tailback



Otis Evans,
Tackle



Kenny Gordon,
Guard



Jackie Greene,
Quarterback



Bruce Hager,
Tailback



Gary Holt,
Tight End



Danny Hostetler,
Guard



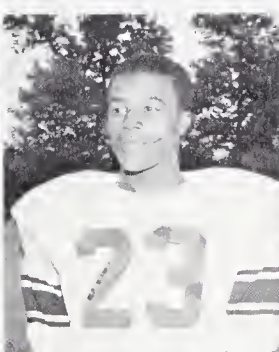
Rick Huggins,
Wingback



Mike Lemmond,
Split End



David Martin,
Tackle



William Massey,
Wingback



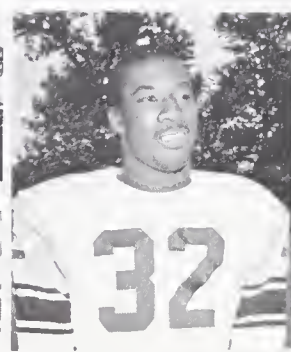
Roger Moser,
Split End



Steve Reep,
Fullback



Donnie Reid,
Tackle



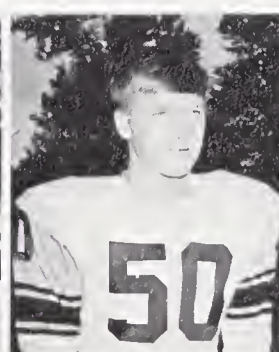
Greg Richardson,
Fullback



Ernie Robinson,
Tight End



Philip Robinson,
Guard



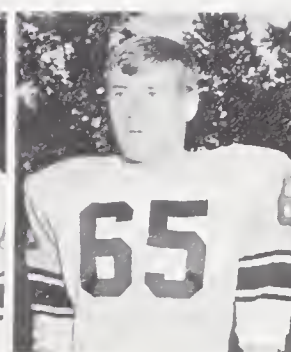
Johnny Stilwell,
Center



Craig Stratton,
Tight End



Jon Whitaker,
Guard



Mike Yancey,
Guard

Quarterback Greene



And they praise Bear Bryant because he can walk on water . . .



"Hey! I can hear the ocean!"

Harding's 1967 football team began the season as the top-ranked team in our conference. Even though our record doesn't show it, we had the coaches, players, and desire that a great team needs. Our team was great, as a run-down of the games shows:

In the first game of the season, senior Bruce Hager returned a 91-yard kickoff to tie Harding with West Charlotte, 26-26.

Mike Yancey and Greg Richardson led the defense as the Rams, eager for their first win, easily crushed Olympic, 33-0.

September 21 was a bad night for the Rams, as they were defeated, 42-6, by archrival West Mecklenburg.

North, then the city's number one team, beat the mighty Rams by only a touchdown. Hager made his longest run of the season, a 93-yard kickoff return to make the final score 14-6.

Senior quarterback Jackie Greene had a hand in all of Harding's scores against South, throwing two TD passes and running for the other six points. Phil Robinson's two extra points evened the score at 20-20, as the Rams tied the number two team in the state.



Before . . .

Because of a knee injury, fullback Boyce Cole participated in only the first four games.

After . . .



Leads Gridiron Team



In what *The Charlotte News* called “a strange game,” HHS bombed the Second Ward Tigers, 21–7.

Against Myers Park, Ken Reid and Robert Ardrey scored on long passes from Greene; however, the ‘Stangs whipped the Rams, 26–14.

Even though Greene threw four TD passes and set a school record by throwing 393 yards in one game, it wasn’t enough to stop Division Seven leader Ashley. It was a 33–24 heartbreak for the Rams.

On our homecoming night, East handed the Rams a 19–6 loss. Ken Reid made Harding’s lone touchdown.

In the Ram’s last game, Greene threw four touchdown passes, but the tough Asheville Maroons scored one more touchdown to defeat the Rams, 41–33.

Our great team’s not-so-great record does not show the tremendous experience that the devoted players received. As South Carolina Coach Paul Dietzel told the Rams at the Football Banquet in February, “If you accept a challenge, do your very best, and never relent, even a losing season contains a wealth of pride and fun.”



Bruce Hager, “Ram of the Year”, in action.



Varsity Basketball



COACHES—Mr. Campbell (head) and Mr. Pyatt.



CAPTAINS—Rick Douglas, Bobby Utley, Doug DeShields, Tommy House, James Houston.

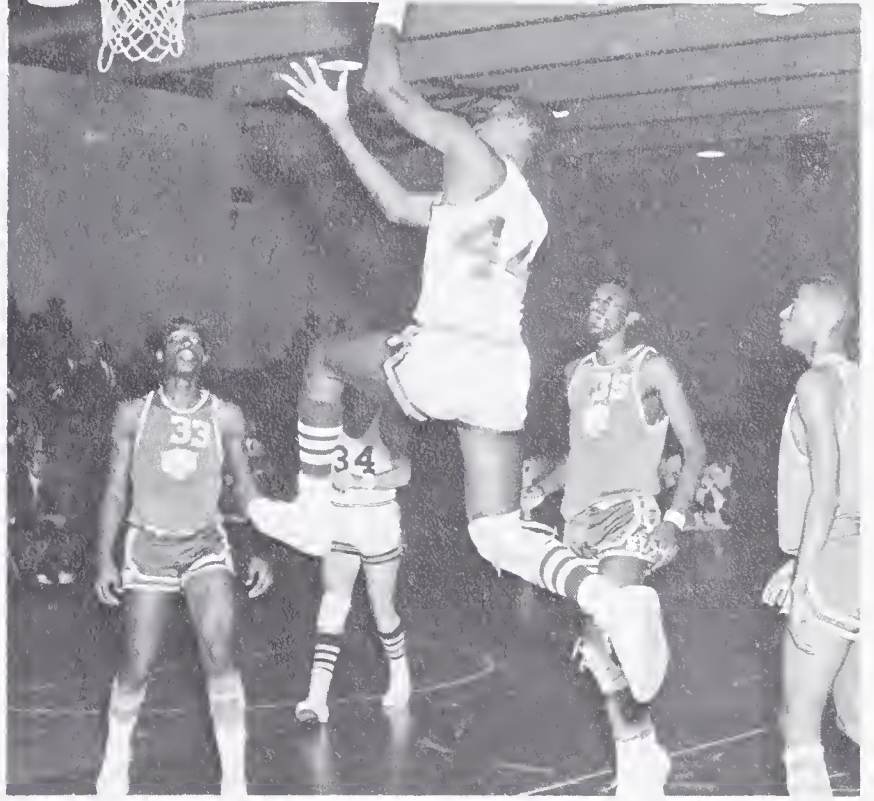
ROW 1: Foster, Utley, Robinson, Sarratt, Douglas, Talley. ROW 2: Mr. Pyatt (assistant coach), Kisner, Reid, House, Reuschling, Wade, Houston, Wilmore, Ardrey, DeShields, Mr. Campbell (head coach).



Ram Cagers In Action



Mr. Pyatt must have blown up the basketball again . . .



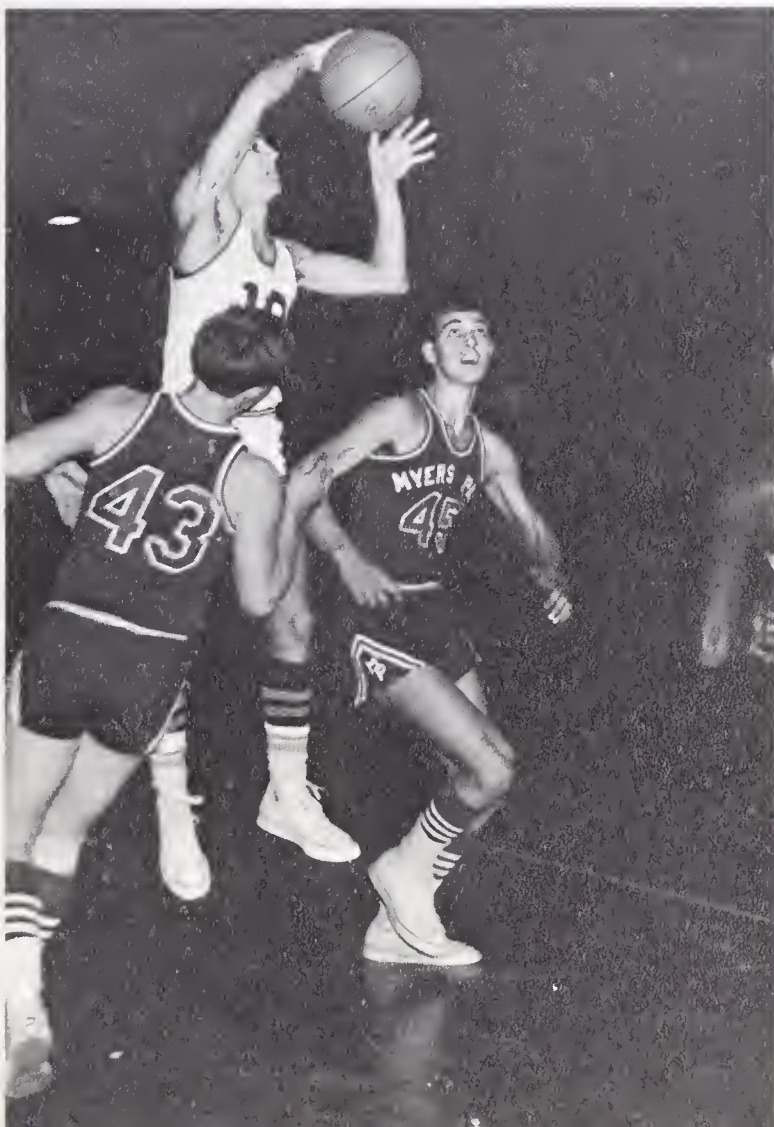
"You guys can play if you want to."

The basketball team started off like a charging Ram, winning their first four in a row by defeating Country Day, Garinger, top-ranked Independence, and South. Perhaps our most gratifying win was at West Mecklenburg, as we trampled our old

rivals, 75-68.

James Houston, Rick Douglas, Bobby Utley, and Ken Reid, along with other Ram cagers, helped to compile the team's 10-10 record.

"Who's the clown that used the bubble gum?"



Ah, de-FEET . . .



Varsity Wrestling



ROW 1: Chandler, Stilwell, Patterson, Huntley, Brown, Savage. ROW 2: Randall, Reid, Holt, Yancey, J. Strickland, Cook. Welch, Alderman. ROW

3: Digh, Pistone, Pritchard, Deal, Dycus, Farmer, D. Strickland, Evans, Setter, Felker, Hoover, W. Wilson, J. Wilson, Gordon, Daniels.

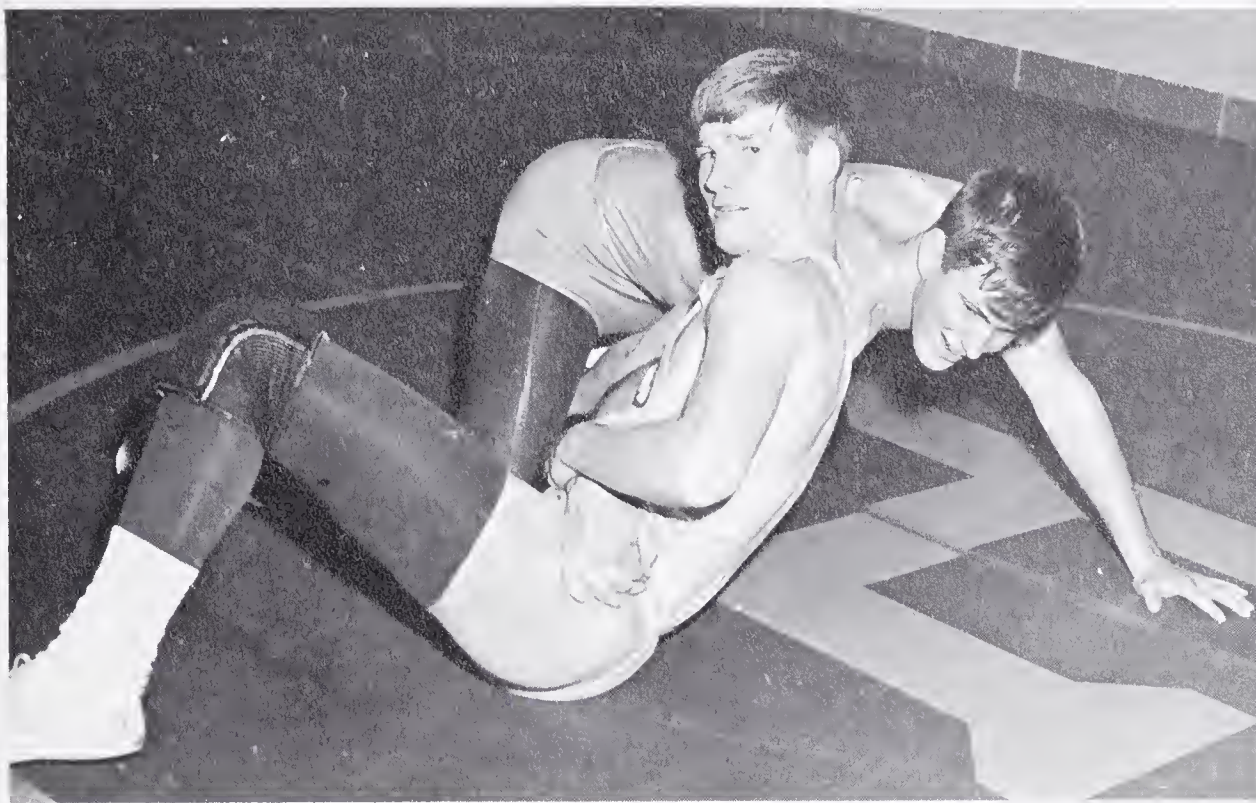
CAPTAINS—Mike Cook and Jimmy Strickland



COACHES—Mr. Davis and Mr. Savage (head)



Grapplers Show Their Stuff



"Tell me later, Gary—somebody's looking."

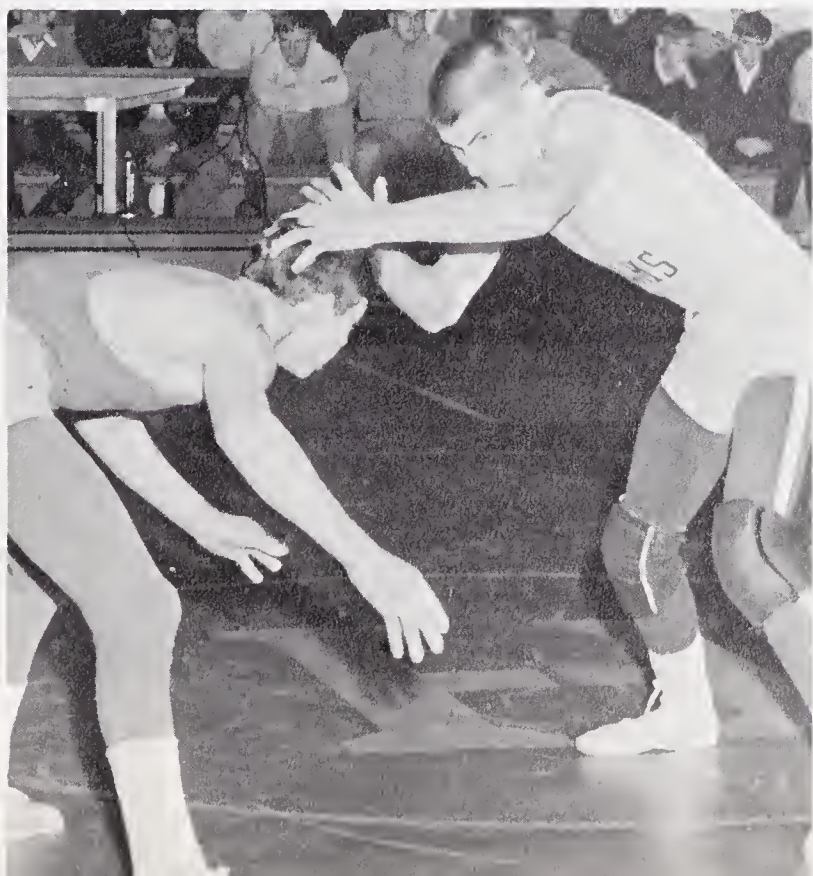
The Harding "Tigers in Tights" were a bright spot in Harding's sports year. We had a team full of powerful wrestlers who swept opponents off their feet and left them on their backs. Mike Cook, Stan Patterson, Ed Chandler, Fred Huntley, Donnie Brown, Steve Phillips, Mike Yancey, and Otis (Big O) Evans had especially successful seasons.

Countless hours of perfecting moves and holds plus the desire of defending our conference championship led us to a resoundingly victorious year.

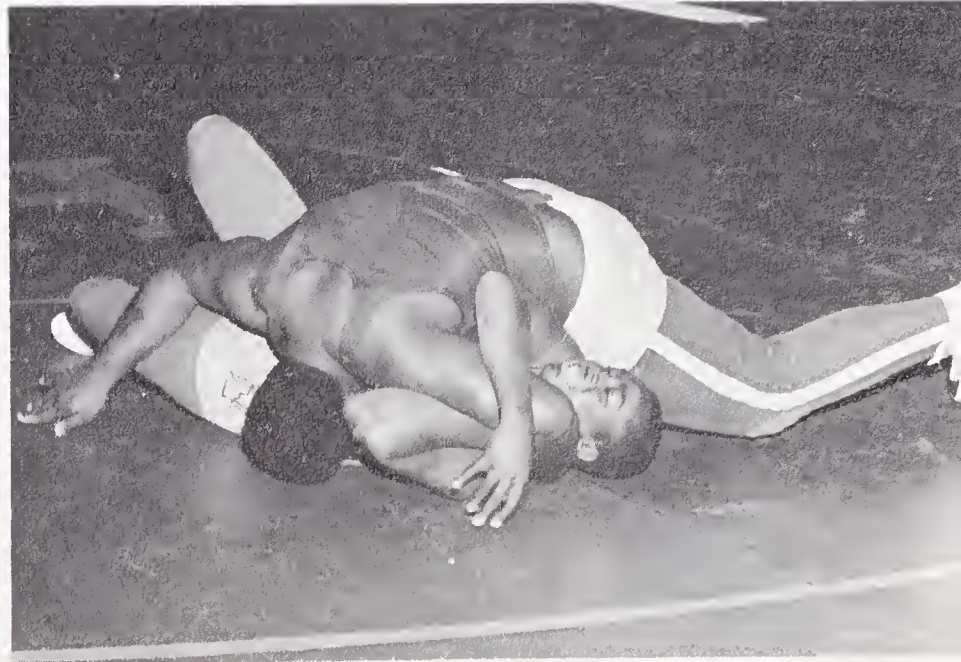
SEASON RECORD

In compiling their 8-2 record, the wrestling team posted wins over West Mecklenburg, Olympic, Country Day, Garinger, South, Independence, North, and Hunter Huss. Their only losses were to East and Myers Park.

"If this dandruff treatment doesn't work, nothing will!"



"C'mon, Otis—wake up!"

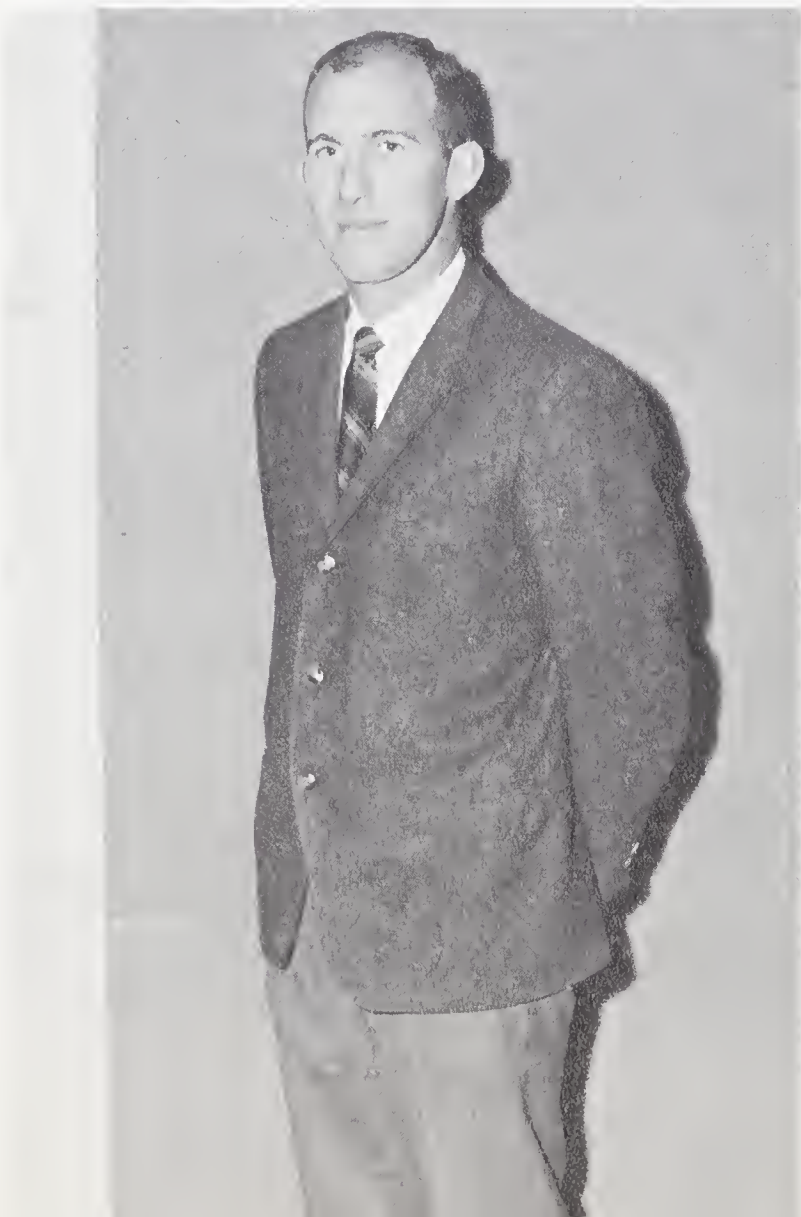


Baseball Team



ROW 1: Utley, Griffin, Kisner, Buff, Porter, Douglas. ROW 2: Reep, Cole, DeShields, Koerber, Miller. ROW 3: Twitty, Greene, House.

COACH— Mr. Crawford



Last year, Harding's version of the Gashouse Gang hit, stole, and fielded their way to a 14—4 record. We lost only a few players through graduation and Harding fans enjoyed another exciting season this year. Steve Buff, Rick Douglas, Steve Kisner, Jackie Greene, and Bobby Utley were among the players who sharpened their spikes for the new season.



Returning Senior Sluggers

CLOCKWISE: Boyce Cole, Infielder; Doug DeShields, Catcher; Rick Douglas, Infielder; Jackie Greene, Pitcher; Tommy House, Pitcher; Tommy Koerber, Outfielder; Doug Miller, Outfielder; Steve Reep, Catcher; Ronnie Twitty, Pitcher; Bobby Utley, Infielder.





Clinkscales, Rash, Robinson, Alderman, Whitaker.

Tennis Team

Track Team

ROW 1: Barbery, Hager, Davis, Broome, Greene, D. Robinson, League, Schlagowsky. ROW 2: Tankersley, Beaty, Barwick, Biddix, Kelley, Hagler, Averitte. ROW 3: Chesson, Richardson, Outz, Wooten Cottingham,

Poston, Sanders, Brittle, Richardson, Mulligan, Stratton. ROW 4: J. Robinson, Hucks, Muehl, Anderson, Fleming, Cooke, Brotherton, Spurrier, Kinley.





ROW 1: Beaty, Barber, Savage, Wooten, Brittle. ROW 2: Anderson, Outz, Sanders, Mulligan, Cobb, Richardson.

Cross-Country Team

Golf Team

Sloan, Biggers, Crenshaw, Bowler, Windell, S. Conder, J. Conder, Baker.





Track Coaches— Mr. Cordell (head) and Mr. Morgan

C o a c h e s



Golf Coach— Mr. Savage

Cross-country Coach— Mr. Campbell



J. V. Baseball Coach— Mr. Pyatt



Tennis Coach— Mr. Davis





ROW 1: Monaghan, Cottingham, Pearson, Whitley, Copeland, T. Muehl, Frazier, Cochrane. ROW 2: Furr, Champion, Ross, Clawson, Wilson, Meeks, Powell, Martin, Eberhart. ROW 3: B. Muehl, Broome, Allison,

Ramsey, McClurkin, Shaver, Griffin, Quan. ROW 4: Crenshaw, Morris, Kerns, Conder, Hucks, Wingate, Jackson, Cook, Koerber, McCorkle.

J.V. Football

FOOTBALL AWARDS: Best Back—Chip Jackson, Best Lineman—Kerry Meeks

SEASON RECORD: Four wins, six losses

CAPTAINS—Eric Koerber and Wayne Crenshaw

COACHES—Mr. Jennings (head) and Mr. Davis





COACH—Mr. Pyatt



Peek-a-boo!!

SEASON RECORD: Twelve wins, eight losses

J. V. Basketball

ROW 1: Hannah—manager, Dewalt, Anderson, Douglas, Clyburn, Cook. ROW 2: Darnell, Helms, D. Robinson, Johnson, Bouler, Tracy, Richardson, Mr. Pyatt—coach.





ROW 1: Ferrell, R. Suttle, Little, Aughtery, Marley, Atkinson, Muehl.
ROW 2: E. Suttle, Cottingham, Robinson, Brotherton, Monaghan, Mor-

row, Ward, Jones. ROW 3: Freeland, Morris, Biggers, Taylor, Pearson,
Weatherman, Copeland, Lewis, Edwards, Walch.

J. V. Wrestling

COACH—Mr. Davis

The junior varsity wrestlers were a pack of heavily-sweat-shirted young Rams who spent their winter months learning the trade of our defending conference champions. Wayne Atkinson, Robbie Little, Reid Ward, and Ted Biggers were among our best J. V. wrestlers.







CLASSES



CHERYL ALLEN
Vice-President



ROGER MOSER
President



PAT POSTELL
Secretary



RICK DOUGLAS
Treasurer



MISS KATHERINE HINSON
Advisor

The Senior Class

We, as seniors, are nearing the end of a path. The journey has been rough, but we, the class of '68, have made it!

We endured the necessary year as lowly sophomores. We tiptoed around, learning the ins and outs of Harding. Assemblies, athletics, and clubs soon filled our thoughts. Meanwhile, our ever-enduring teachers were quietly prodding us to take steps toward maturity.

Next, we skipped through our "in-between year." We yelled at pep rallies, participated in the Talent Show, put up Christmas decorations, helped in Cuties and Capers, danced to the music of the Tams, and planned a colorful Junior-Senior Prom. Whew! We completed our junior year in record time.

As seniors, we are the pace setters. Bruce Hager is out in front as Student Council president. Leaders in athletics include Greene, Cole, Hostetler, Utley, Douglas, Cook, Houston, Gordon, and Stilwell. Alan Trogon runs the Harding Hi-Lites. Randy Goforth manipulates the high-stepping Harding High Band.

In the race to choose our most beautiful girl, it is difficult to pick only one. Sylvia Davis is our Homecoming Queen and a Senior Beauty. Our other Senior Beauty is Sandra Kassin. Diane Hucks reigns as Miss Harding.

As this year is ending, we feel a tinge of sadness. Slowly we come, and quickly we go—proud to claim Harding as our Alma Mater.

We Are Seniors At Last!

Doug Agnew
Helen Kay Alford
Cheryl Allen
Sherry Elaine Allison



Sandra L. Atkins
Chuck Averitte
Pamela Lee Bass
Pamela Lou Belk



Eleanor Bell
Christy Dale Blackwell
Roberta Lea Blalock
David Blount





Joe Braswell
Pattie Breen
Linda Brezeale
Gerry Ann Brogden



Wanda Broome
Kay Brownlee
Eddie Burgin
Elaine Burnette



Sandra Cabaniss
Margaret Coulter Caldwell
Wanda Diane Calebro
Shirley Campbell

Seniors

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Shirley Hastings Carlisle

Judith Ann Carlton

Diana Leigh Carroll

Suzanne Caughman

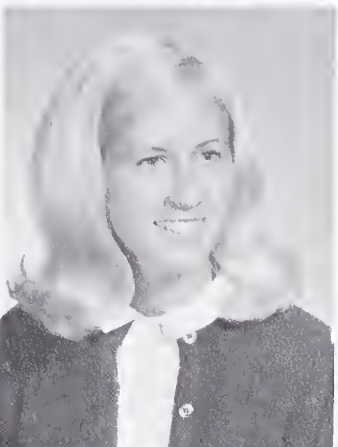


Edward Lamar Chandler

Debbie Chappell

Theresa Lynn Clark

James Thomas Clark

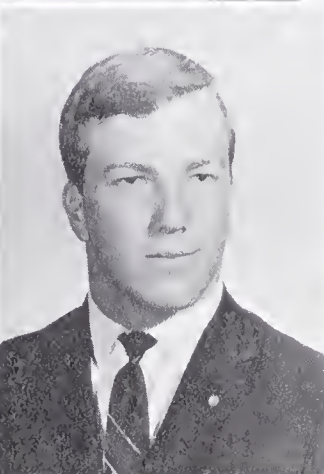
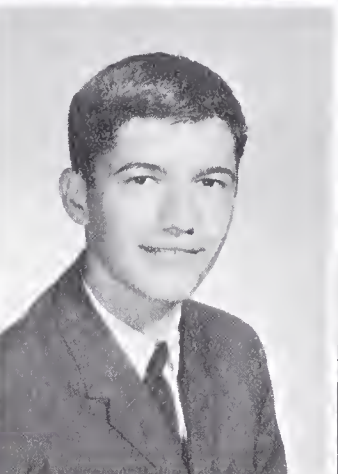


Jimmy Clinkscales

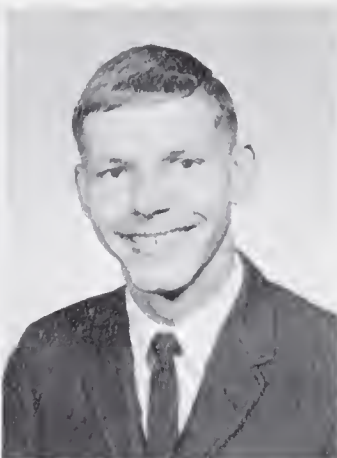
Eddie Cobb

Boyce William Cole

Judy Ann Collins



Seniors

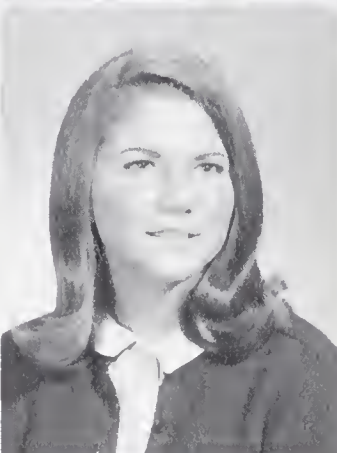


Sylvia Sue Comer
Jerry Conder
Charles M. Cook
Mike Cook



Larry Danny Cooke
Judy Carol Covil
Faith Gail Craig
Ernie Creech

Dwight Crowe
Kristie Lynn Daffinee
Shelley Davis
Sylvia Davis



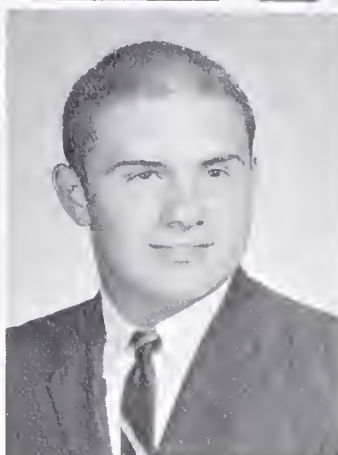
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Jerry Clyde Deal
Donna Kay Deaton
Nancy Lee Deese



Francie A. Demby
George Douglas DeShields
Rick Douglas
Bob Dycus

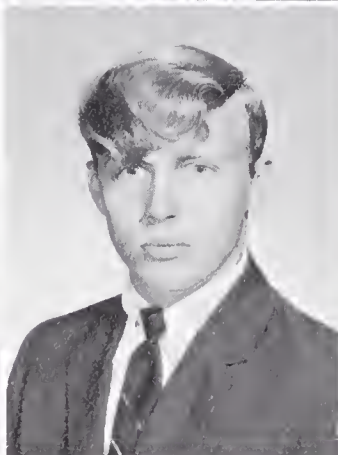
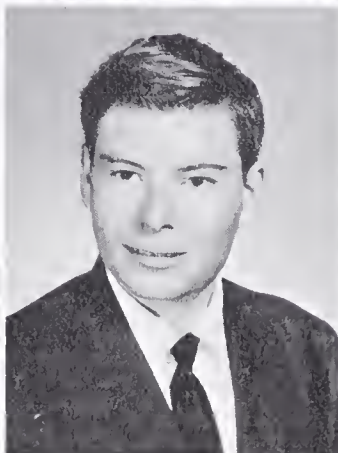
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Larry Edwards
Linda Sue Elder
Ronnie Elliott



Dean Ellis
Margie Leigh Elwood
Ann-Marie Enggard
Mike Estes

Evette Faulkenberry
Frank M. Felker
Daniel M. Fincher
Danny Ford



David Paul Ford
Pamela Gaye Franklin
David Freeman
Gwynn Garrison

Marcia Ann Godfrey
Mary Katherine Goforth
Randy Lee Goforth
Cheryl Veronica Goins



Sandra Kassin And Sylvia Davis Are Elected Senior Beauties



Kenneth L. Gordon, Jr.
William Herbert Grass
Karen Grayson
Nancy Jo Green



John Ray Greene, III
Shirley Marie Grogan
Susan Elaine Grubbs
Pat Quinn



Debbie Gurganus
Bruce Hager
Marsha Louise Hannah
Dale Hargett

Seniors

Phillip Gerald Harper

Troyce Harmon

Jackie Harrison

Jerry Helms



Donna Hill

Deborah Patricia Hilton

Valinda Beale Hinson

Sally Holmes

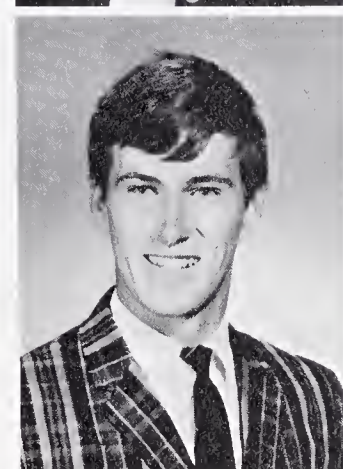


Gary Holt

Danny Lamar Hostetler

Tommy House

Claudia Jean Howell



*SOMEHOW We Complete
Our Term Papers*

Seniors



Diane Hucks
Karen Hucks
Richard M. Huggins
Charles Hunsuck

Carl Ingram
Wanda Diane Jackson
Lola Jenkins
Helen Irene Johnson



Vicky Huskey Johnson
Jimmy Jones
Mary Jane Johnson
John Randy Jones

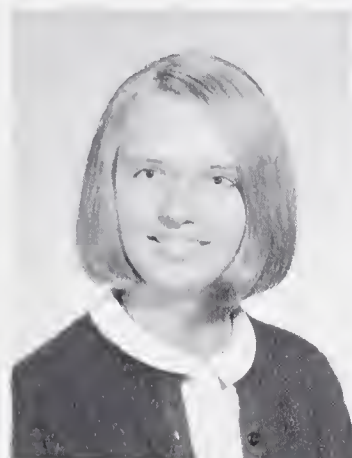
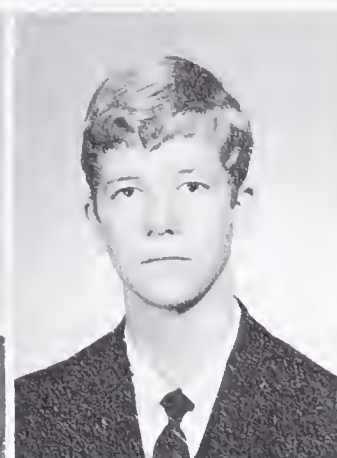
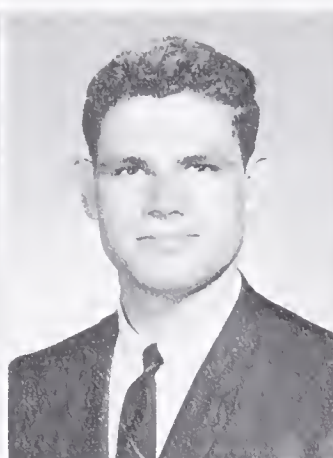
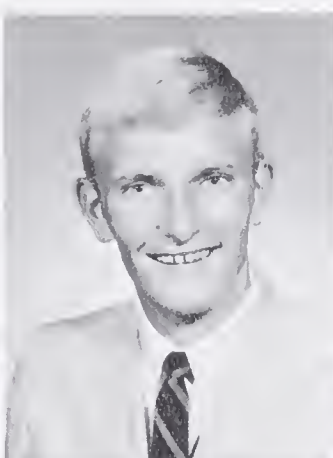
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Larry Eugene Killian
Kenneth M. Knight



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Gloria Vane Lee

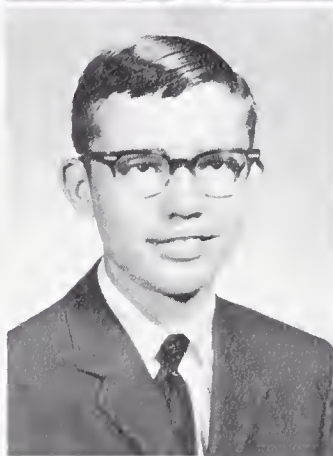
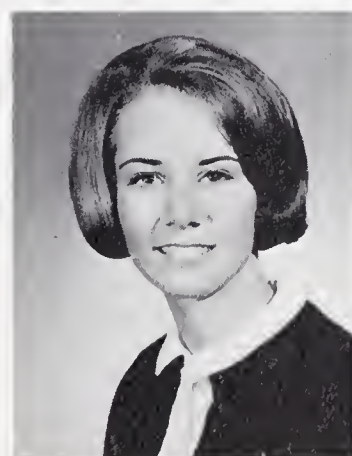
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Norman David Lewis
Mike Link



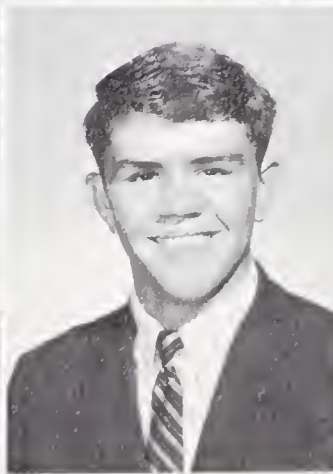
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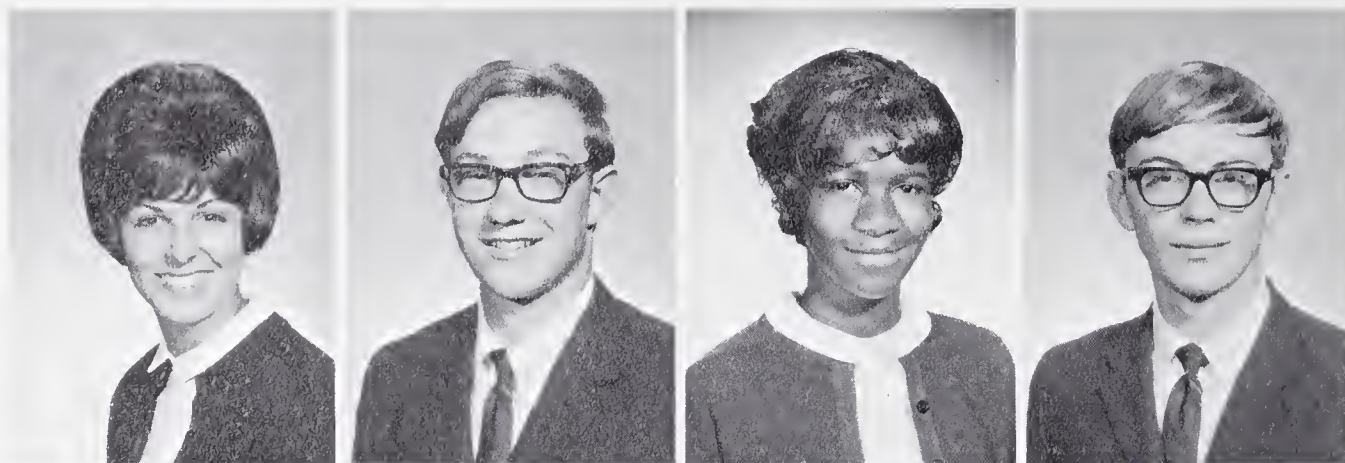


Kathryn Morrow
Don Martin
Wayne Martin
Sam H. McAllister, III

Hazel McBride
Bonnie Winona McClung
Charles Terry McCraw
Nancy Ellen McCray



Seniors



Nancy Jo McDaniel
David V. McDonald
Doris Wanda McDonald
Wayne McDowell



Karen Lynette McGuire
Karen McMurray
Chuck Means
Anne Miller



Doug Miller
Lois Deborah Morgan
James Morris
Roger Moser

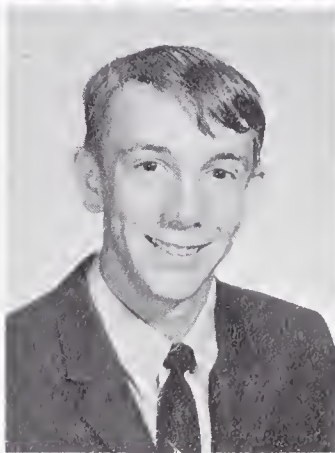
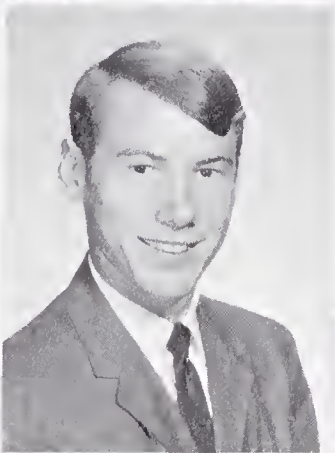




Sandra Jean Mullis
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Karen Diane Newell
Jack Lee Newell



Peggy Ann O'Neal
John Outen
Mac Outz
Mary Jane Page

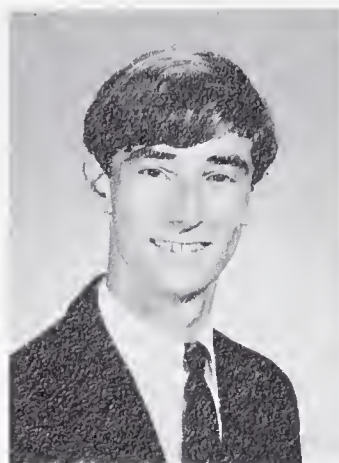


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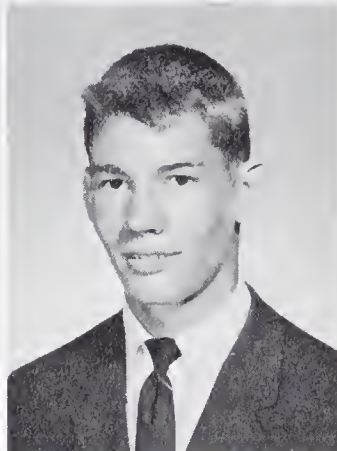
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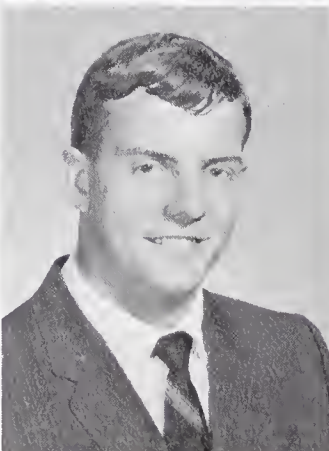
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Cynthia Catherine Pringle
William F. Pritchard
LaDonna Rana Prophet



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Kerry Kevin Quan
Carl Bryan Raby
Linda Kay Ratcliff

Steve Herschel Reep
Donnie Ray Reid
Camellia Renwick
David Reuschling



Margaret Diane Rhodes
Jesse James Robinson
Mary Ellen Robinson
Mike Robinson

Seniors

Phillip S. Robinson
Risa Bell Robinson
Sandra Jean Rosser
David Russ



Ruby Francis Seaman
Jennifer Susan Shelton
Juanita Shelton
Billy Sherron

Charlene Shipman
Jeannean Olivia Short
Claude Braddum Sikes
Wendy Allyn Simpson



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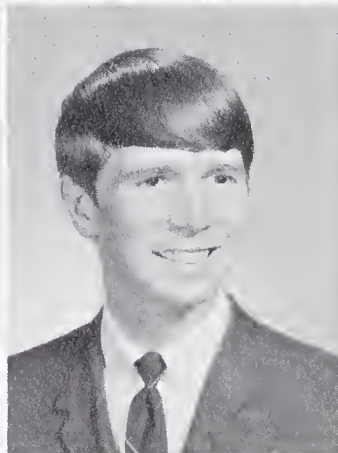
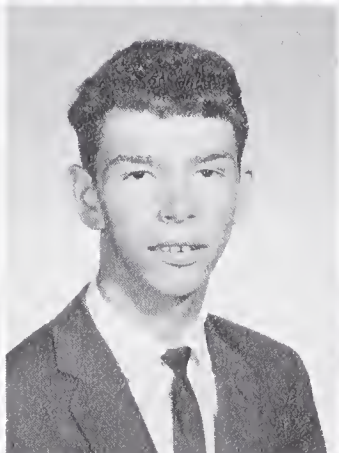
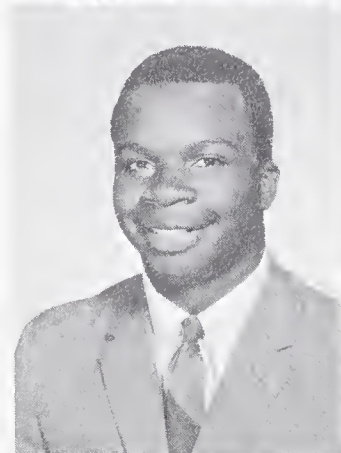


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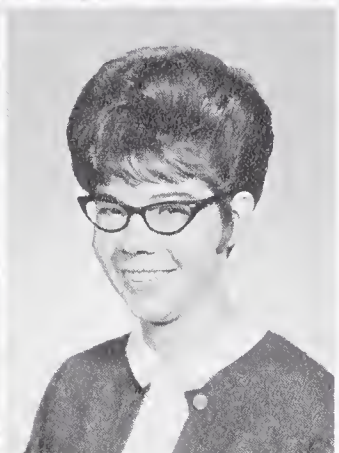


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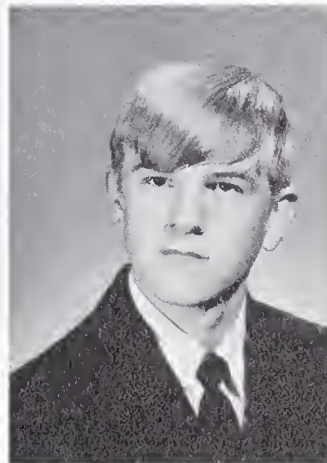
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*Susan Grubbs And Mike Lovelace
Are National Merit Semi-Finalists*

Graduation Causes Tears Of Joy And Sadness

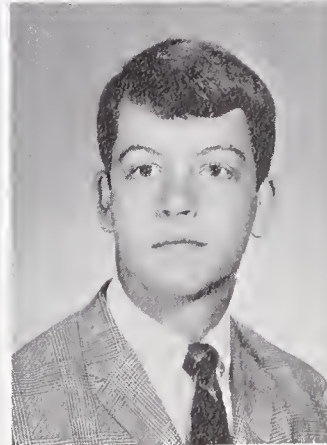
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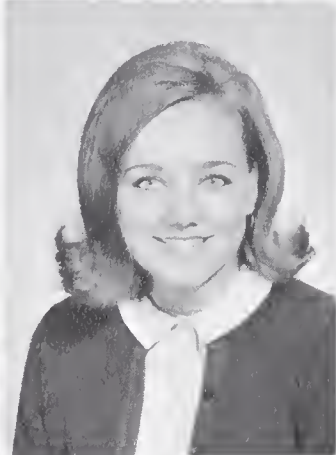


Seniors



Sandra Jean Wigglesworth
Butch Wilkinson
David L. Williams
Gary Williams

Cindy Wilson
James LeRoy Wilson
Patricia Dawn Wood
Robert Mike Yancey



Lynda Gail Yandle



The Acorn Salutes

UNSUNG HERO AND HEROINE



DONNIE REID



SUZANNE CAUGHMAN

Each year, Harding has several students who do more than their share of work for the school, but are seldom recognized for their efforts. Two Harding seniors have been chosen as the first Unsung Hero and Heroine to appear in a Harding yearbook. Donnie Reid and Suzanne Caughman truly deserve this honor.

Donnie was one of few sophomores chosen to play varsity football and has been one of the squad's most dependable players ever since. He has further demonstrated his athletic ability on the wrestling team.

Much of the success of the 1967 Junior-Senior Prom can be attributed to Donnie's hard work; he constructed the platform and other props and has willingly offered his services to do everything from building scenery for the choir's musical comedy to carting cheerleaders all over town to get watermelons for the football players. An energetic and enthusiastic student, Donnie has certainly been an asset to Harding.

Suzanne, a girl of many talents and abilities, also has contributed much to school life. A brilliant student, she was inducted into the Honor Society in her junior year and has been a member of the French Club and the Student Council.

She has spent long hours soliciting ads and doing other tedious, but necessary, jobs for the *Acorn*. In English 12, she voluntarily led the class in the devising of an English timeline. Besides this, Suzanne did a great deal of work in the preparation of the Student Directory. Versatility and ability—these are words that describe Suzanne, one of Harding's most outstanding students.

The *Acorn* staff extends sincerest congratulations to Donnie and Suzanne.



STEVE BUFF, Vice-President



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STEVE KISNER, President



LEIGH CASKEY, Secretary



MR. MARTIN SHUFORD, Advisor

The Junior Class

To us, the members of the Junior Class of Harding High School, being a junior is like being in the middle of a ladder. No longer are we on the bottom rung of the sophomores, but on the middle rung, which signifies that we are, at last, upperclassmen.

We have worked toward and achieved excellence, both in the schoolroom and on the athletic field. All of us tried to participate in some way. Many juniors, such as Ardrey, Buff, Kisner, Reid, and Savage played on various athletic teams. Others, including Alderman, Pistone, and Ware promoted spirit at half-time by playing in the band. Others joined clubs and organiza-

tions to help stimulate extracurricular activities.

We participated in many school-wide activities: on special occasions we helped to decorate the school; during Spirit Week, we won first prize for the best-decorated building. The class elected Julie Brown as our class beauty. We worked hard at Cuties and Capers, the Talent Show, and the Junior-Senior Prom.

Being a junior is like being in the middle of a ladder. We have seen the progress we have made as we climbed from the rank of sophomores, but we also see that we must work much harder to reach the top—seniorship at Harding High School.

Upperclassmen!



Marilyn Adkins
Toby Anderson
Ramona Ayala

Myron Alderman
Robert Ardrey
Linda Bailes

James Allen
Linda Armstrong
Donnie Bailey

Terry Allen
Jo Ann Atkins
Cathy Barber

David Allison
Jan Atnip
Jim Barbery

Jacob Anderson
Linda Aughtry
Tommy Barnes

Juniors



Wanda Bass
Ivah Bentley
Charles Blackwell

Thomas Bates
Gene Biddix
Susie Blackwell

Arthur Beaty
Sarah Bidgood
Floyd Bost

Billy Beckham
Ted Biggers
Ted Bost

Odell Bell
Janice Blackmon
Suzette Bowers

Constance Bennett
Martha Blackston
Richard Brittle



Juniors



William Broome
Dale Burgess
Jimmy Champion

Donnie Brown
Debbie Butler
Bonnie Clark

Julie Brown
Cindy Byrant
Mike Clark

Glen Bryant
Dianne Carlisle
Margaret Clyburn

Steve Buff
Rita Carlton
Billy Cochran

Joy Bumgarner
Leigh Caskey
Steve Conder



College Boards Ahead...

Kathy Cook
Debbie Davis
Barry Digh

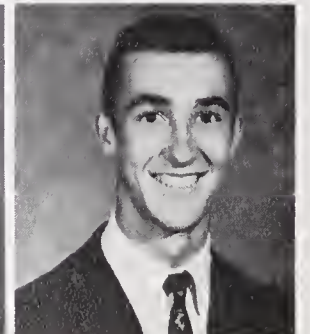
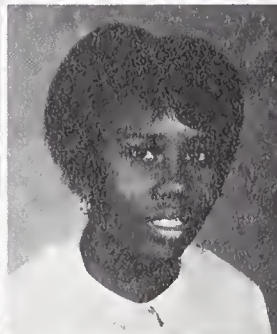
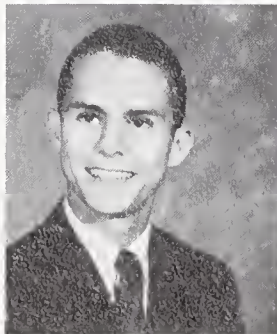
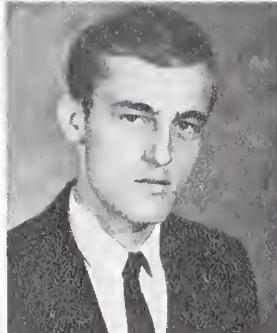
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Martha Doster

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Brenda Douglas

Nancy Cox
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Diana Douglas

Wayne Crenshaw
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Ray Drum

Marcia Crosby
David Dewberry
Steve Dunaway



Juniors

... 1600, Here We Come!

Debbie Duncan
Mike Farmer
Dianne Galloway

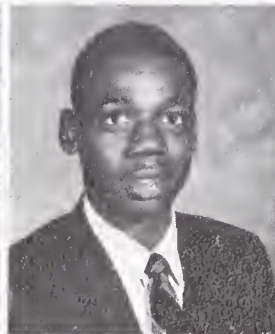
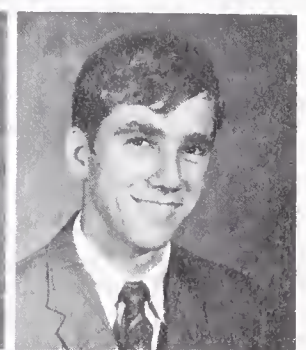
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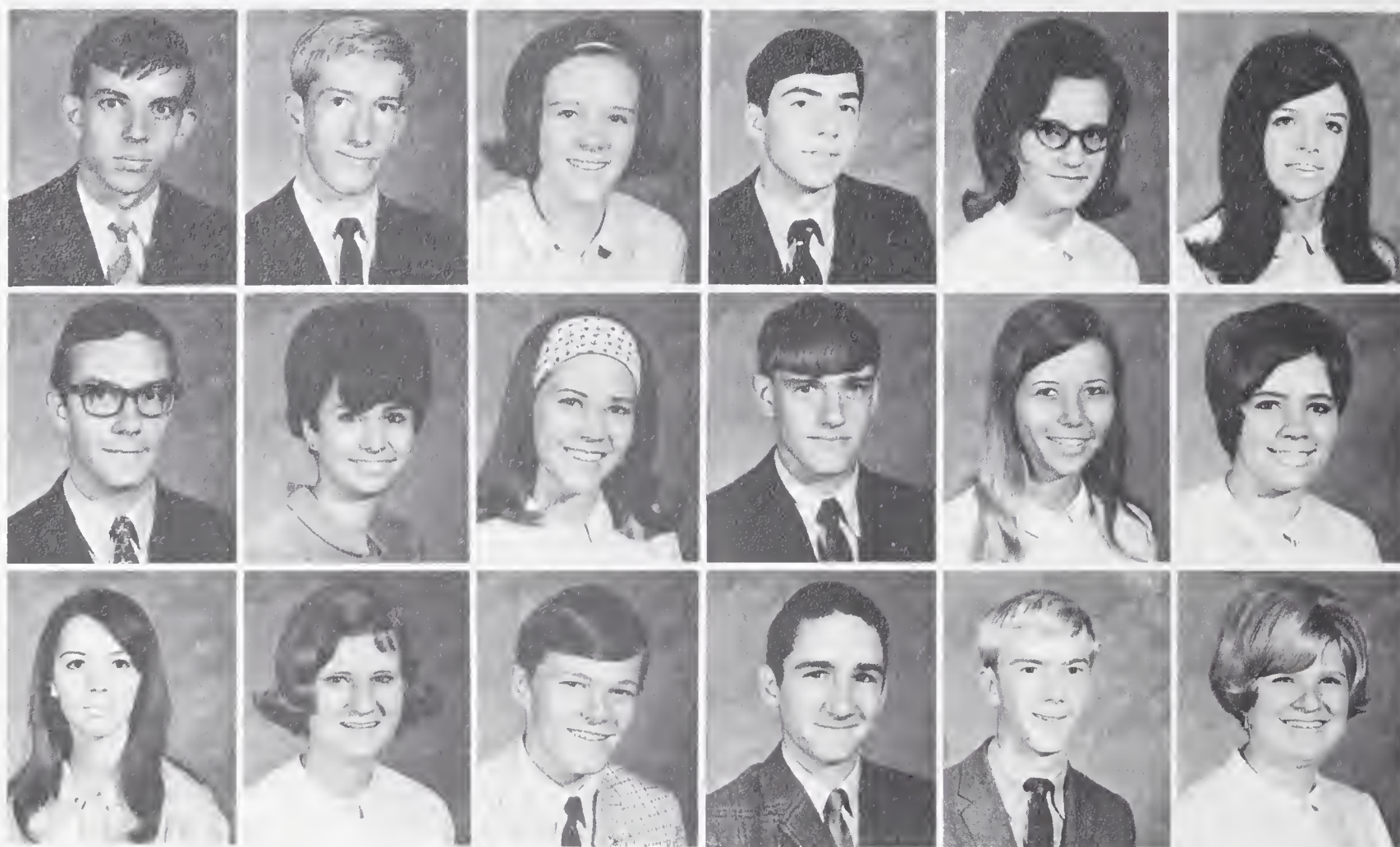
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Juniors

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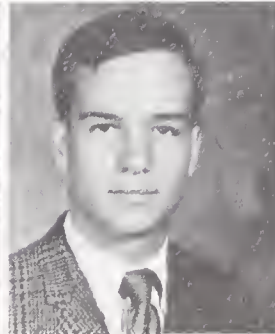
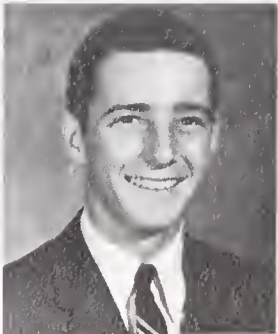
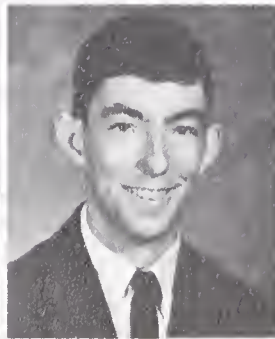
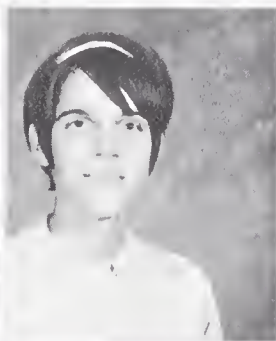
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Juniors

Juniors Shine During Spirit Week

Tommy Knight
Linda Lawing
Diane Mahaley

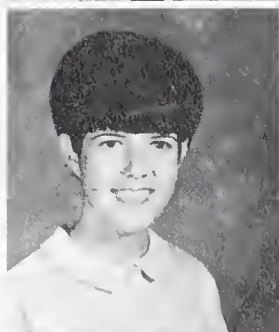
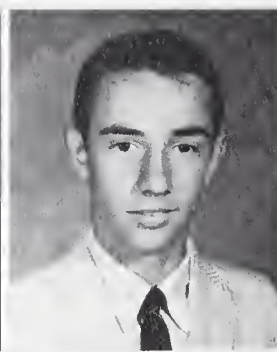
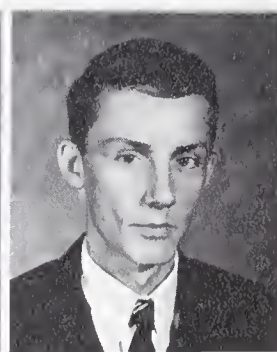
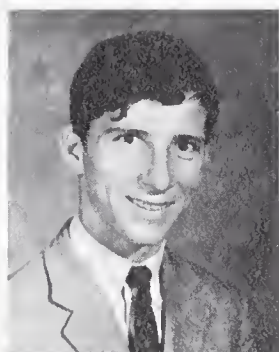
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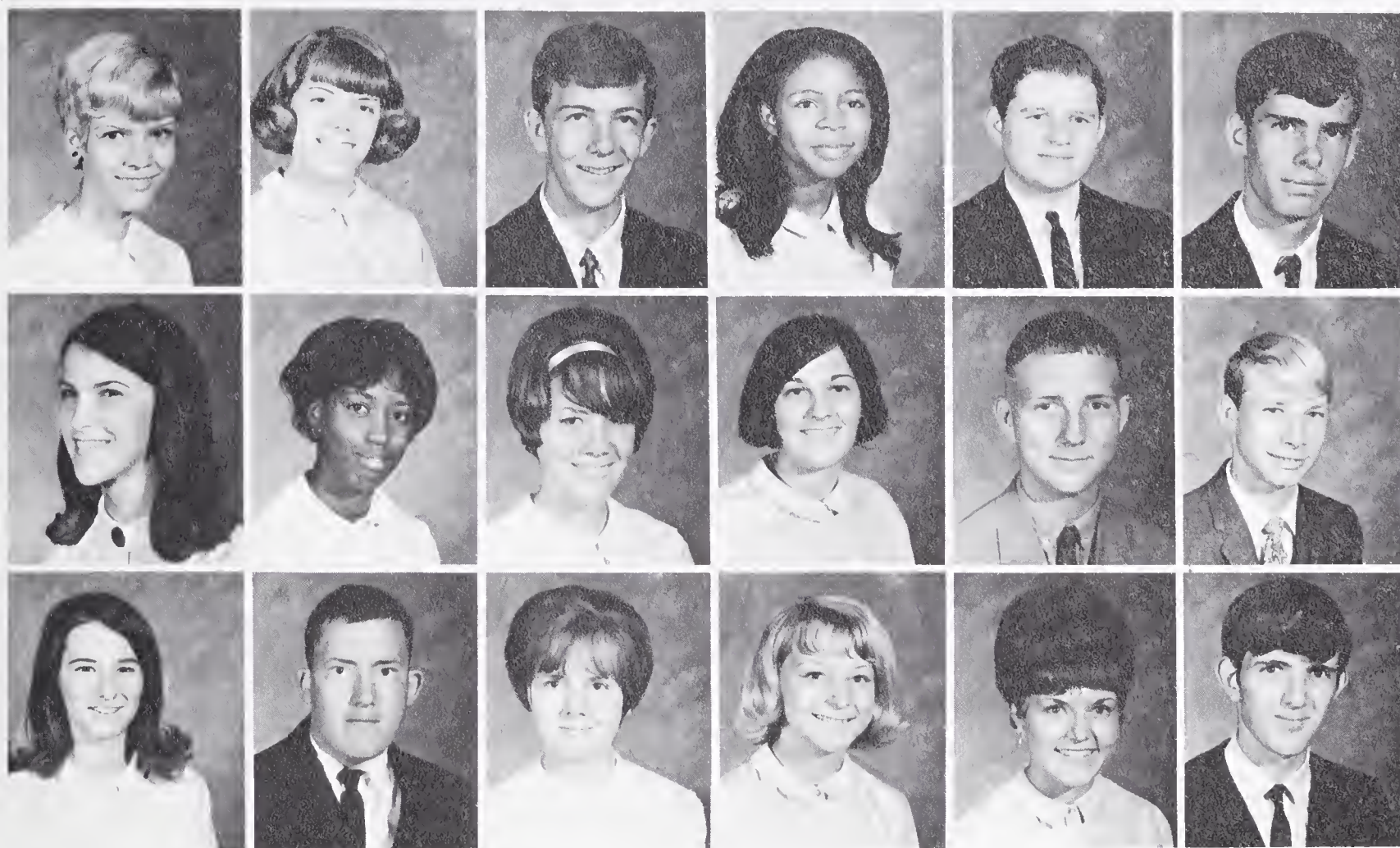
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Juniors

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Tom Mullis

Mack McCuen
Sylvia Moore
Debbie Neely

Deborah McDowell
Sandra Morgan
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Junior-Senior Time Again



Malinda Parks
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Craig Randall

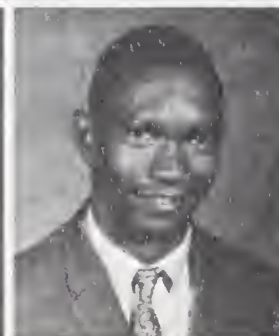
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Frankie Ray



Juniors

Our Junior Beauty— Miss Julia Brown

Jean Redding
Janice Robertson
Pat Sanders

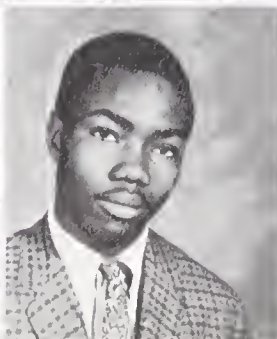
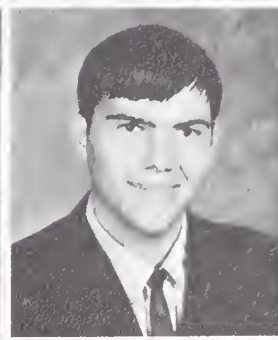
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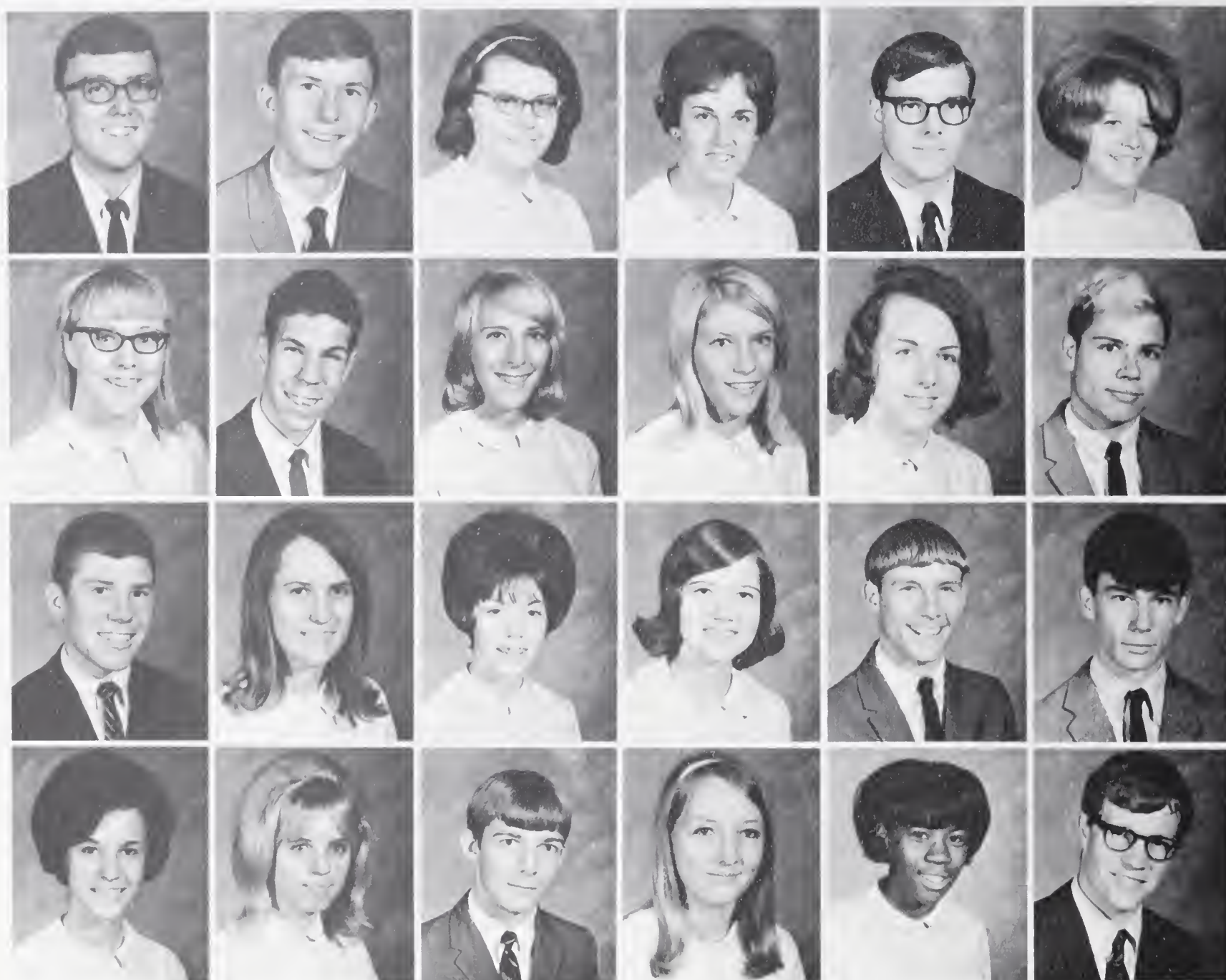
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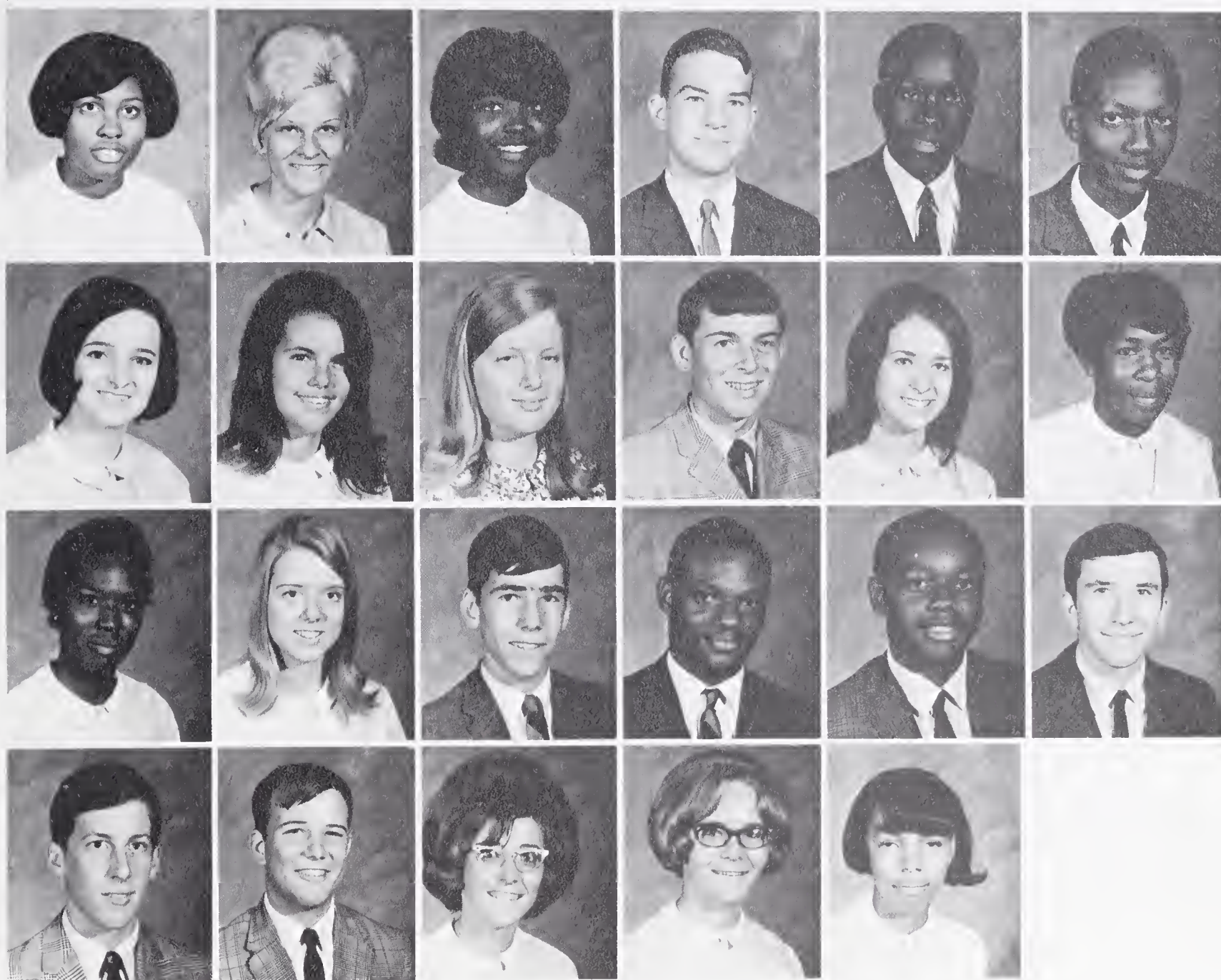
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Vicki Smith
Gary Spikes
Eddie Suttle
James Teal

Juniors



Patricia Thompson
Patsy Turner
Diane Williams
John Windell

Teresa Thompson
Joyce Vann
Linda Williams
Daryll Wingate

Della Tinsley
Erin Walch
Steve Williams
Paulette Wise

Jerry Todd
Ronnie Ware
James Wilmore
Libby Wood

Lewis Tucker
Vonnie Warr
Willie Wilson
Barbara Wright

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Secretary

The Sophomore Class

Another year for a class of Harding tenth graders has come to a close. Most of us gladly walk away from the inevitable title of "punky sophomore." In September, we came through the doors of Harding, full of hopes, although more often than not we used the wrong doors. After nine months, we have learned and accepted the fact that only sophomores say and do the wrong things.

As we look back over the past year, we recall many fond memories. Our excellent J. V. football, basketball, and baseball

teams made us proud; Koerber, Jackson, Cook, Dewalt, and Douglas—all made great contributions to the sports scene. We chose Vonnie Yandle as Sophomore Beauty and worked long and hard on our Cuties and Capers skit.

Probably the best part of coming to Harding was the prospect of the new friendships and experiences. Although we were the low men on the totem pole, it was not so bad. After all, we are only sophomores once.

Sophomores

Sheila Abernathy
Larry Adams
Richard Adams
Tom Adams
Freddie Adcock



Jerry Akins
Gene Alexander
Pat Alexander
Andy Anthony
Judy Armstrong



Wayne Atkinson
Butch Aughtry
Mike Ayers
Debbie Bailey
Brenda Baker



Judy Baker
Nick Baker
Elizabeth G. Ballard
Pam Barnes
Vanessa Bell



Frances Blackburn
Suzie Blackburn
Vickie Blackburn
Lisa Bolick
David Bolton



Susan Bost
Deborah Boulware
Lana Bowles
Mike Bowman
Faye Anne Braddy



New School, New Faces, New Problems



Vernard Brannon
Jack Brisson
William Brittle
Lynn Brookshire
Doug Brotherton



Jerry Brown
Bonnie Brunk
Virginia Bryan
Wanda Bryant
Marsha Burch



Peggy Burks
Sharon Byars
Diane Byrum
Suzanne Byrum
William Caddell



Ernie Caldwell
Debbie Campbell
Thelma Canty
Freida Carland
Wylie Carland



Dianne Carlisle
Larry Carpenter
Debby Caughman
Tom Causey
Eugenia Cavin

Sophomores

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Bobby Chesson
Angelia Clark
Hazel Clawson
Tim Clontz
Jeff Cochrane



Janet Coker
Steven Collins
Donnie Cook
Lynda Cook
Ricky Cook



Mike Copeland
Marlene Cottingham
Marvin Cottingham
Bobby Cowick
Jane Crenshaw



Elaine Crump
Martha Cunningham
Cheryle Daffinee
Steve Darnell
Sylvester Davenport



Myra Davidson
Allison Davis
Gordon Davis
Van Dawson
Dorthea Deese





Edward Deese
Denise Dellinger
Donna Dellinger
Diana Dixon
Valerie Dixon



Mike Dotson
Danny Douglas
Murray Darris
Pat Dzurik
Glendora Ealey



Debra Earnhardt
Sylvia Earnhardt
Joel Eberhardt
Tommy Eddens
Steve Edwards



Donald Elwood
Mike Eubanks
Betty Jean Evans
Ricky Ferrell
Calvin Fleming



Pat Ford
Johnny Frazier
Mike Freeland
Myra Freeland
Debbie Freeman



Wanda Frye
Yvette Gabbard
Janet Galloway
Lynda Garner
Robert Gill



Carol Godfrey
Kay Gordon
Cornelia Graham
Robert Graham
Helen Griffin

Sophomores

Sophomores

Teresa Griffen
Vickie Griffith
Bonny Hagler
Linda Hamrick
Marcia Harrington



Denise Harris
Shannon Harris
Tony Hartman
Tommy Hayes
Loretta Helms



Steve Helms
Beverly Hendrix
June Hickock
Gayle Hicc
Billy Hoare



Mike Homick
Bud Hucks
Jackie Huffstickler
James Hunsuck
Ricky Hunter



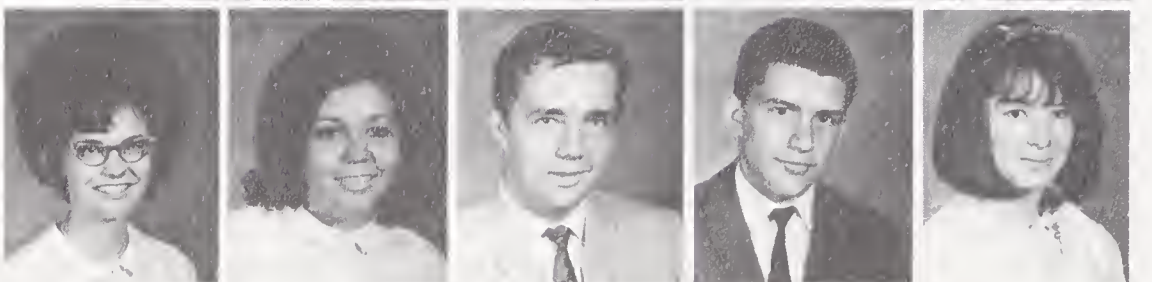
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Ruby Jackson



Terry Johnson
Larry Johnston
Carole Jones
Dickie Jones
Mike Juergensen



Rhonda Keaver
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Robert Kirk
Tonya Kirkley



Sophomores



Eric Koerber
Alice Lambert
Berta Lane
Linda Lanier
Debbie Lankford



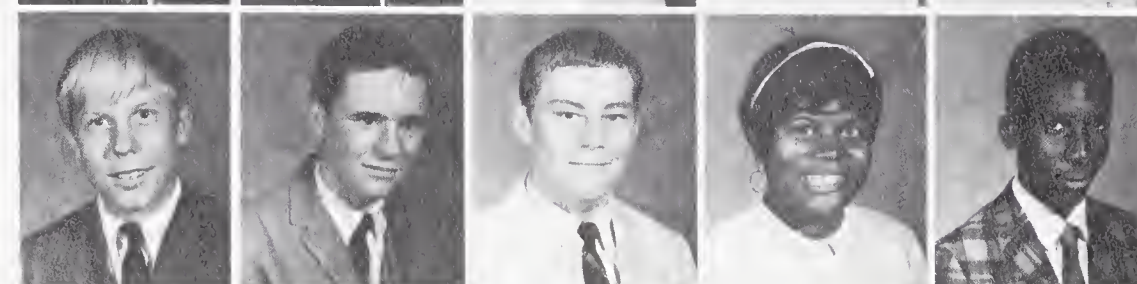
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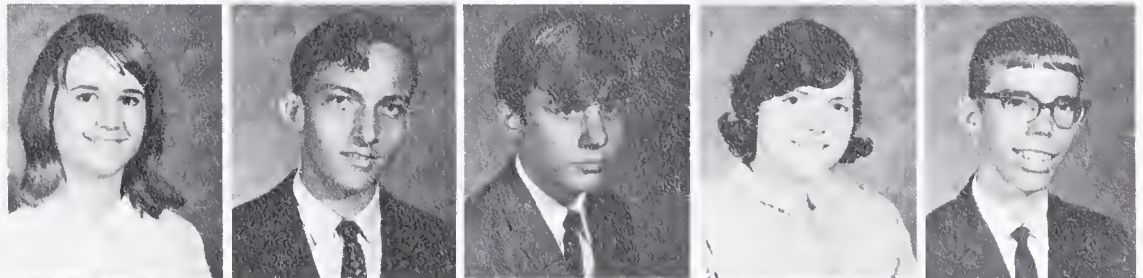
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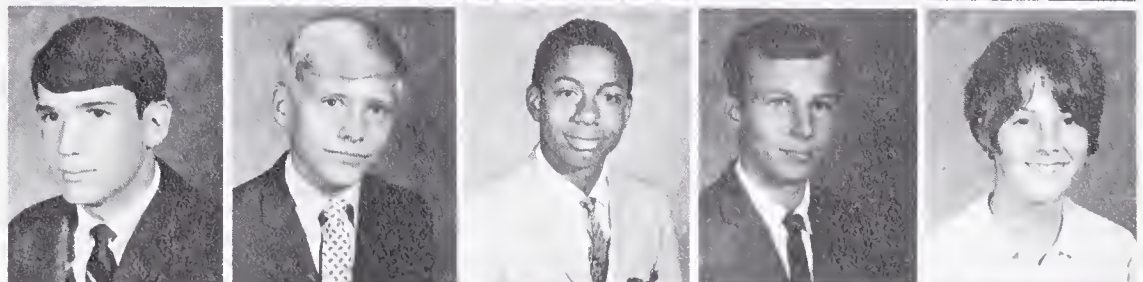
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Vonnie Yandle Is Sophomore Beauty

Susan Mauldin
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Tom McArver
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Gene McCorkle



Steve McCorkle
Joel McCreary
David McFarlin
Tommy McGee
Mary McGrath



Shelia McGuire
Pam McIntosh
Barbara McKay
Estelle McNair
Betty Meade



Jerry Melton
Sandra Melton
Delphine Mickle
Kathy Millen
Gwen Miller



Janie Miller
Debbie Mills
Joyce Mitchell
Butch Mixson
Eddie Monaghan



Sophomores

Sophomores



Connie Moore
Lynne Moore
Barry Morrow
Steve Morrow
Brian Muehl



Torsten Muehl
Cheryl Mulkey
Jimmie Mullis
Wanda Mullis
Marty Mulligan



Woody Mundy
Roger Nash
Jan Neese
Donna Nettles
Barbara Norman



Gary O'Dell
Virginia Odle
Rita Oxendine
Roxie Oxendine
Debby Parham



Geraldine Patton
Kitty Paxton
Dale Payne
Warren Pearson
Jean Pender



Doris Pettis
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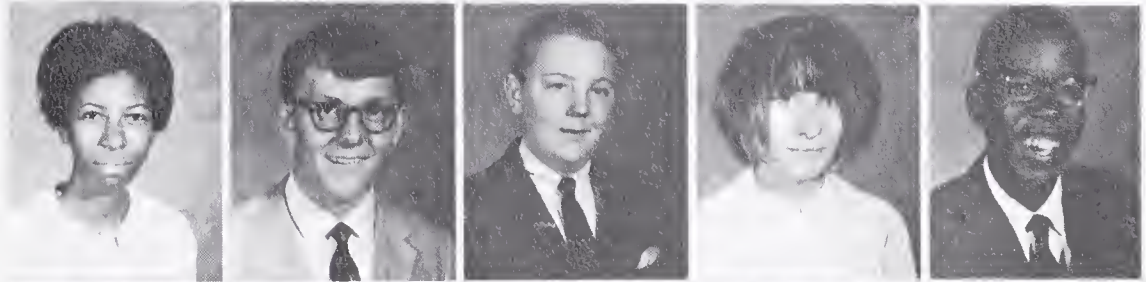
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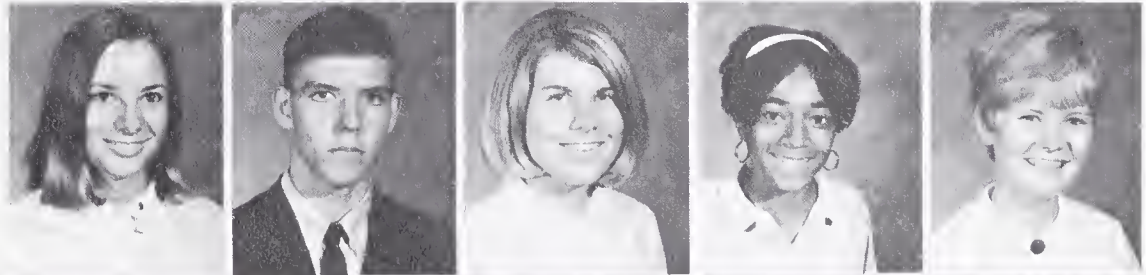
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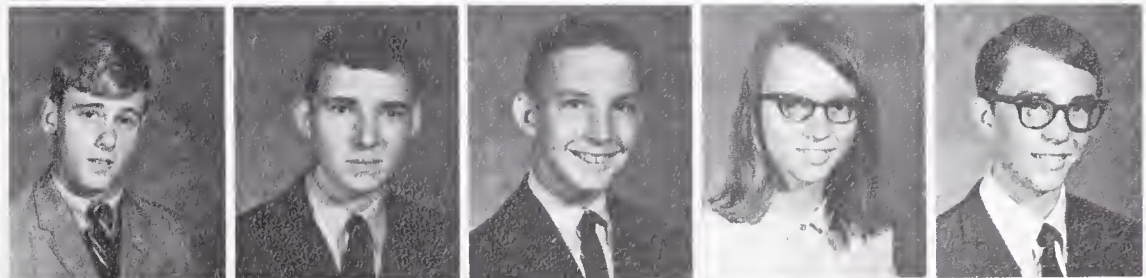
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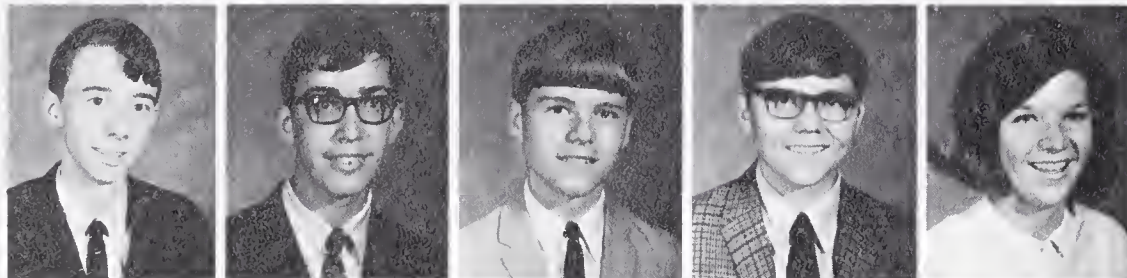


Sophomores

It Is True . . . Almost Juniors!



Becky Smith
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Carol Smith
Debbie Smith
Frances Smith



Tony Smith
Johnny Spinks
Bill Spurrier
Doug Stephens
Wanda Stratton



Richard Suttle
Robert Sweet
Marie Taland
Ora Tanzy
Gary Taylor



Linda Taylor
Mickey Taylor
Clydene Teague
Pat Terril
Carolyn Thomas



Patsy Thompson
Herbert Toll
Shelia Towe
Billy Tracy
Tommy Tracy

Sophomores

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Brenda Tucker
Eleanor Turner
Jimmy Tuttle
Diane Tyson
Adelaide Verble



Steve Vincent
Sheron Wade
Louie Walch
Tommy Walden
Lorraine Walker



Jerry Wallace
Donna Walters
Reid Ward
Larry Watson
Linda Watson



Paris Watt
Lynn Watts
Eddie Weatherman
Paula Werner
Bobby White



Gerald Whitley
Mary Wiggins
Johnny Williams
Debbie Williams
Glenn Wingate





Jerry Wood
Cissy Worley
Susan Wray
Rhonda Yancey
Brenda Yandle



Ginger Yandle
Vonnie Yandle
Yvonne Yeattes
Constance Zeek



... We'll Always Think Of You ...



Alma Mater

*O Harding High, our Alma Mater,
Shining so bright and true,
With campus green and shading bowers,
We'll always think of you.
From out the halls of truth and love,
Our friendships will remain
As constant as our love for thee.
We'll never forget thy name.*

*The joys we have together here,
The spirit secure and strong,
Through loss and victory we will strive
To keep shining bright and long.
The years of learning quickly fly;
Too soon we'll say good-bye;
So hail to thee, our Alma Mater,
Dear old Harding High.*







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Happiness

Happiness is like a crystal,
Fair and exquisite and clear,
Broken in a million pieces,
Shattered, scattered far and near.
Now and then along life's pathway,
Lo! some shining fragments fall;
But there are so many pieces
No one ever finds them all.

You may find a bit of beauty,
Or an honest share of wealth,
While another just beside you
Gathers honor, love or health.
Vain to choose or grasp unduly,
Broken is the perfect ball;
And there are so many pieces
No one ever finds them all.

Yet the wise as on they journey
Treasure every fragment clear,
Fit them as they may together,
Imaging the shattered sphere,
Learning ever to be thankful,
Though their share of it is small;
For it has so many pieces
No one ever finds them all.

Priscilla Leonard

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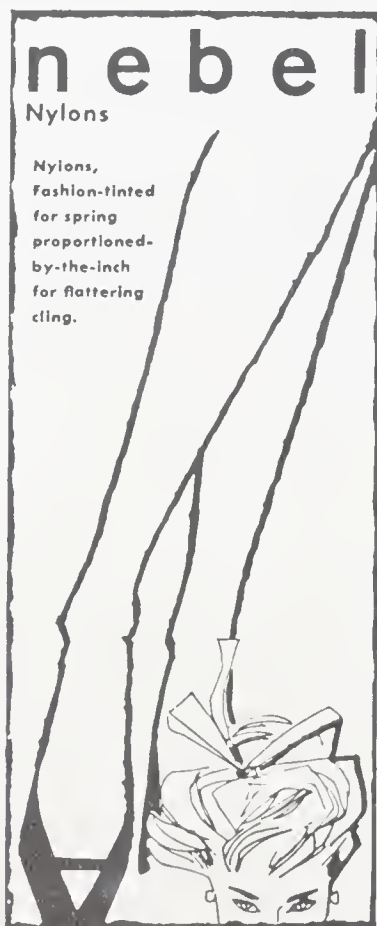
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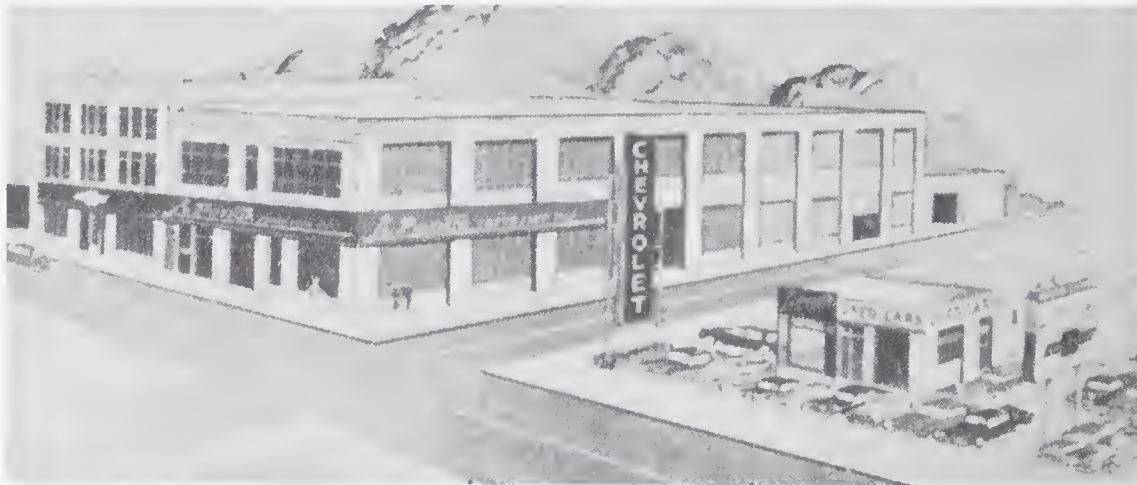
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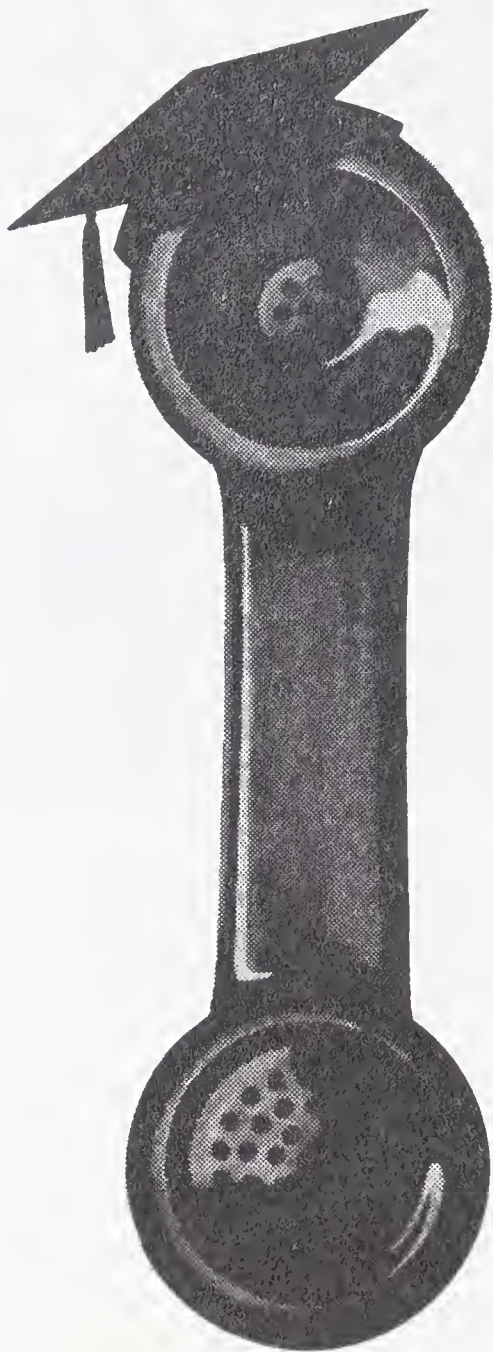
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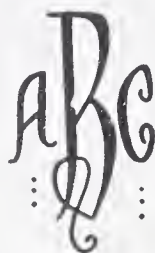
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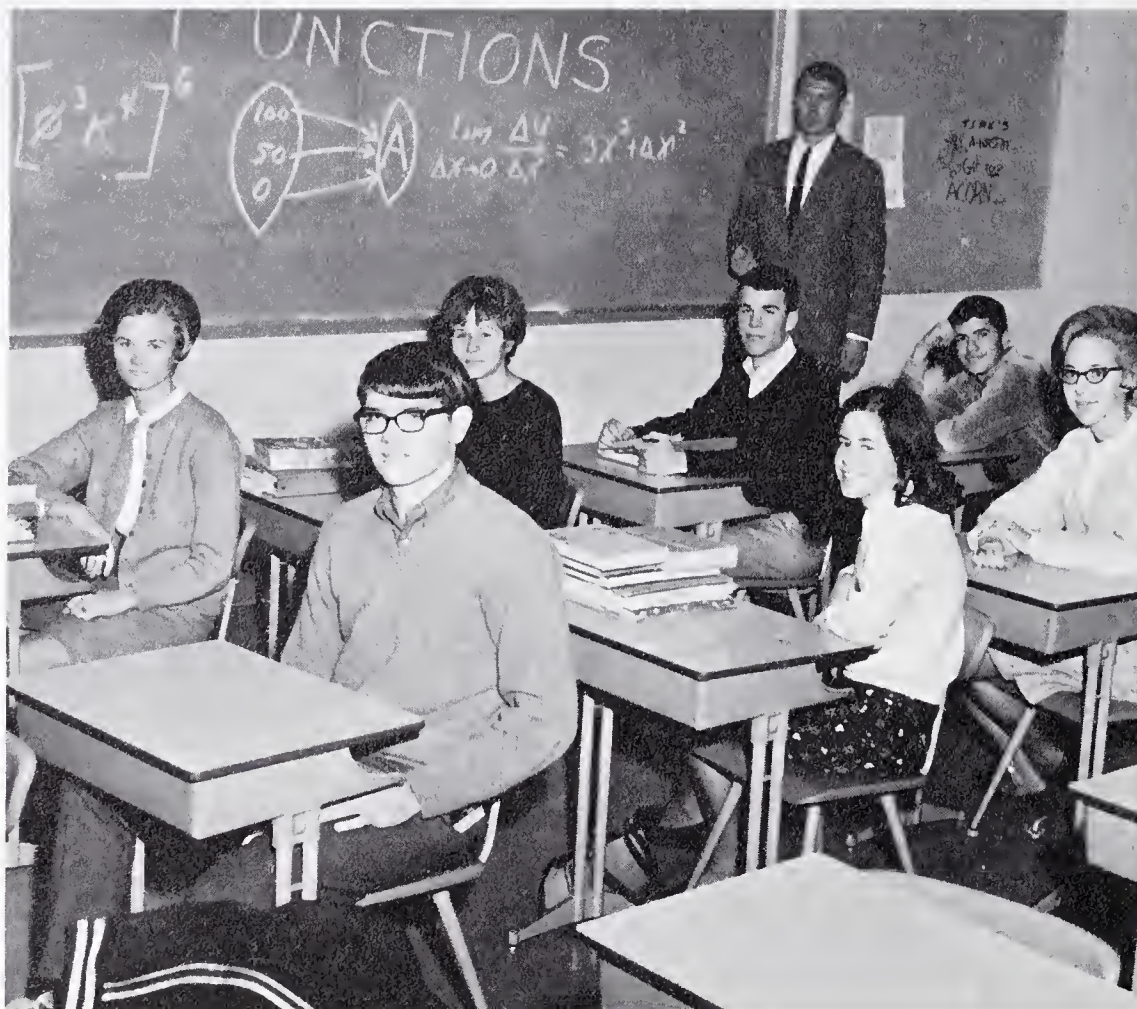
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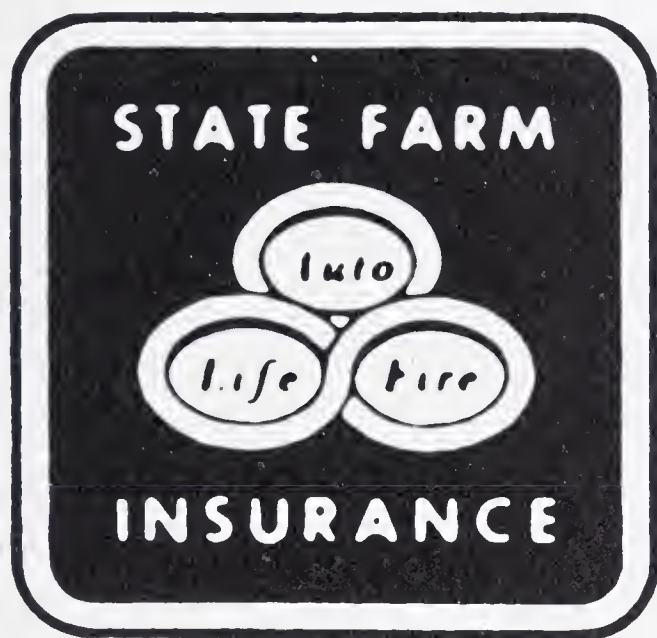
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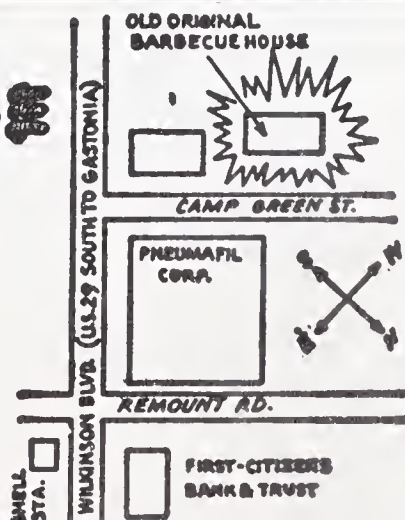
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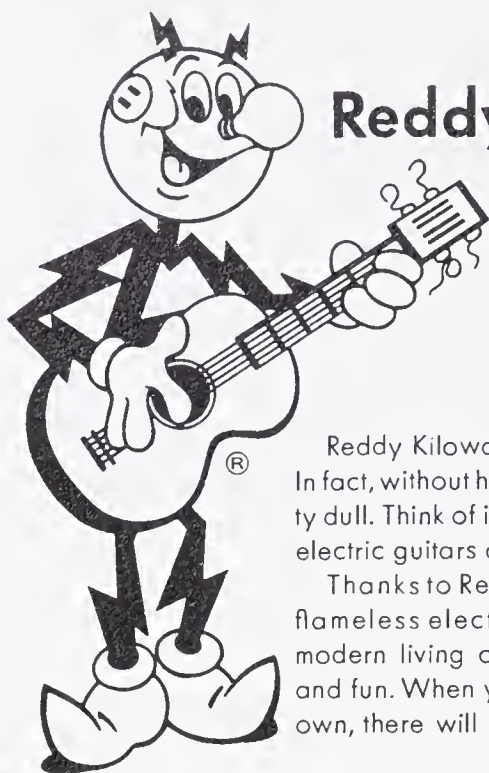
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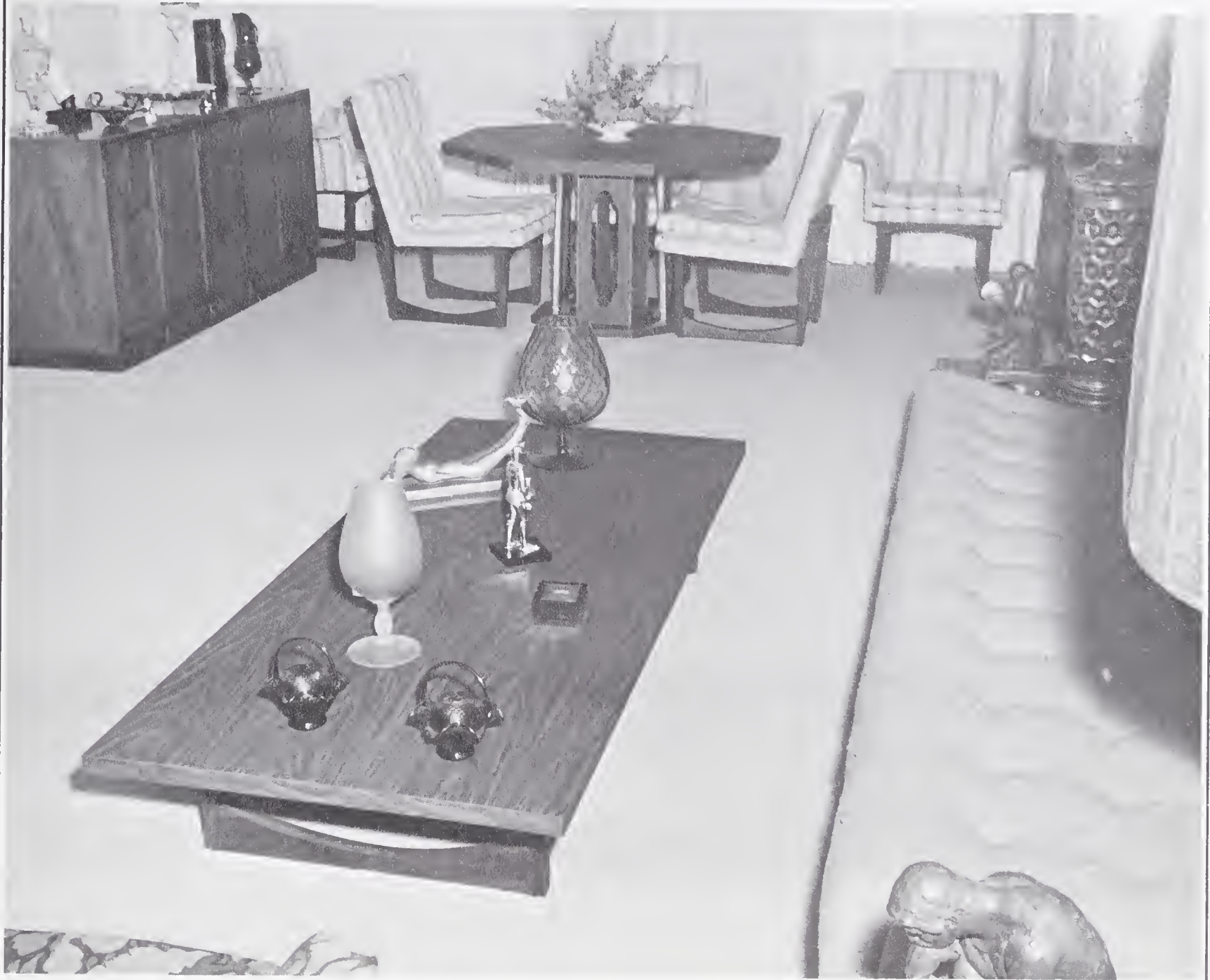
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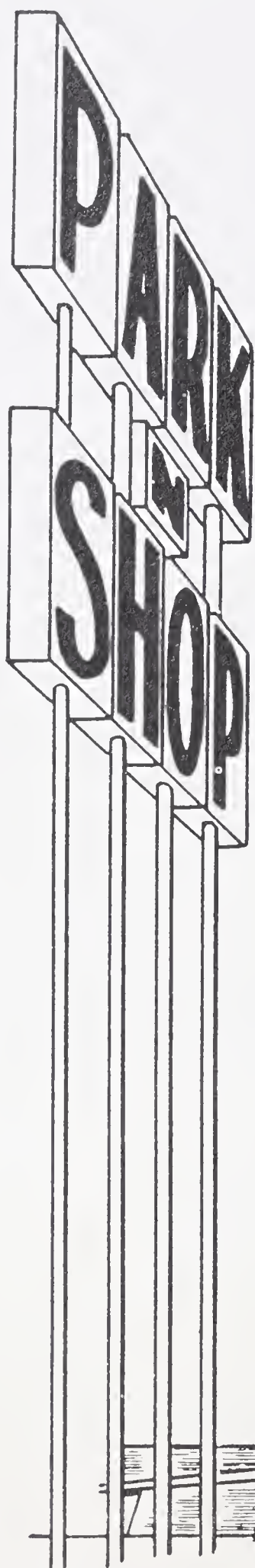


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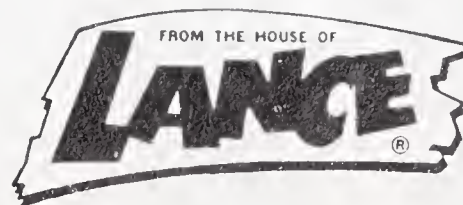
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Dear Mrs. Gneith,

How can you thank someone who has helped you, guided you, taught you and looked after you? I have made many mistakes this year, but I truly believe that I am better for it. All of the "talks" have sunk in deep — never to be forgotten, only to learn by them and not to make the same blunders again.

So, Mother II, I can only say thank you for all you have done. I have learned more from you than lots of my academic subjects. I will miss you and this office a lot, but I'll keep in touch. Take care of yourself now that I won't be here to look after you.

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With lots of love,
Anna Polans

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